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COUNTY DIVISION STILL A LIVE ISSUE

Berkeley's Recent Decision on Annexation Hasn't Decided Question

The county division question has again sprung up, and while the people in the eastern end of the county are not worrying about the matter it seems that Oakland is determined to press the subject upon us whether we are in favor of it or not. As Berkeley a short while ago voted strongly against annexing it to Oakland, it was said at the time that this action would make the matter of division a dead issue for some time to come, but recently Senator Stetson, who by the way is also City Attorney of Oakland, is actively at work, and according to his way of figuring we will have division before we know it.

The question with the eastern end of the county is not where the county will be divided but where the new County seat be located. Paul Goldsmith, the talented writer in the Livermore Herald, gives a resume of the situation from which we quote the following:

"With Stetson as the probable leader of the Senate and the certain leader of the Alameda County delegation the success of the measure becomes almost a certainty. There is no longer the excuse that a majority of the Alameda county delegation is opposed to the scheme, and if all of the legislators from Alameda County do not stand in Stetson will have influence enough in the Legislature outside to get the votes he needs, for the Legislature is going to be strongly insurgent, and Stetson is one of the leaders of insurgency.

"Under these circumstances it is probable that Strobridge and Rogers and even the Assemblymen from Alameda and Berkeley will be willing to make terms in order to get something out of it, for if they are not good it is quite likely that they will be clubbed into submission. There is an inclination upon the part of the city of Oakland to extend the olive branch to the outsiders, but if the olive branch is not accepted the big stick is in the posession of the big city and it can be used with great effect.

"But Oakland is going to have consolidation whether or no and if the hill tribes of Berkeley and the quiet home people of Alameda go far they will be permitted to go g themselves.

There is a growing element that manding a city and county ment even if it only includes sent city of Oakland. There being prepared an act pro- or city and county govern- that will enable Oakland to for itself into a city and county and split itself off from the rest of the county whether or no, and if a legitimate consolidation plan is refused by Berkeley, Alameda and the interior of the county it is quite likely that Oakland will decide to get a divorce and go it alone and leave the rest of the county to shift for itself.

"Where Livermore is interested is in the selection of a county seat for the new, or should it be called the old section? Should all of the bay cities consolidate a county seat for the remaining rural section would have to be chosen by ballot. Hayward wants the county seat and so does Niles. If these two split the vote of the section west of the hills Livermore might stand to win with a solid vote in the valley.

"Furthermore Livermore is more interested in what is going on in this direction than would at first appear. It is not beyond the range of possibility that the county seat of the new county could be located in Livermore if a proper fight was made."

Another view of the matter is the following taken from the Hayward Review:

"If we are to have county division one of the oldest inhabitants suggested this week, the best way to do is to take in Richmond and make up a combined city and county government of both Richmond Berkeley, Oakland, Alameda San Leandro, Hayward and out as far and including Alvarado. The rest of the county can be added to Contra Costa and Santa Clara Counties, and do away with creating of a new county. The rich Livermore Valley can be added to Contra Costa and later the county seat can be removed to Livermore, a much better place for it than Martinez, and Niles, Centerville, Newark, Warm Springs, Mission San Jose and the balance of the county can be merged into Santa Clara County. By this scheme it will do away with creating a new county. Most all the business of the southern part of the county already goes to San Jose anyhow so there would be no hardship there and about the only expense in years to come would be the moving of the county seat from Martinez to Livermore.

"The above are the views of one of Hayward's old timers, and by taking a look at the county map it seems to be a very logical conclusion."

Serious Accident Near Irvington

By the overturning of a large touring car driven by Dr. J. M. Shannon, of 1155 Broadway, last Sunday afternoon on the Irvington road about a mile south of Centerville, Miss Anna Kelly a nurse residing at 4288 Howe street, lies seriously injured at the Acropolis sanitorium, Fruitvale, and in the same institution more or less injured are also A. H. Hill an attorney of Eureka, Mrs. Hill and the latter's sister, Miss Frances Patton all of whom were riding with Dr. Shannon in the car.

At the point in question a quantity of coarse macadam had been deposited on the road bed for a distance of some three hundred feet and so placed as to cause the drivers of vehicles to take it either side of the road way in order to pass the obstruction.

Miss Kelly who was riding in the front of the machine was thrown with much violene into the coarse macadam and seriously injured.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC REPUBLICAN RALLY

The Re-organization of Washington Township Club

Over 300 people assembled a Stevenson's hall in Centerville last Wednesday night to attend the reorganization of the Washington Township Republican Club. Owing to the absence of the President Farley Granger the vice-president called the meeting to order and introduced Rev. F. V. Jones of Niles as temporary chairman, who on taking the chair, in a neat speech nominated E. W. Burr as permanent chairman. Mr. Burr was readily elected by acclamation as was J. C. Whipple Vice-President, Walter Smith as Secretary and Arthur Biddle, Treasurer. Besides the above, one each from the following towns were appointed as an executive committee. Niles, C. B. Overacker; Warm Springs, Manuel Brown; Mission San Jose, William Rose and Irvington E. N. Babb.

These four with the officers above will constitute the committee. It was decided to change the name of the club to the Johnson and Wallace Republican club of Washington Township. Some stirring speeches were made by Messrs. Jones, Runkle, Hatch, Moses Sr., Kientz, Whitfield, Granger, Horner and others, in which they referred to the progress of the insurgency movement in the east and predicted an overwhelming victory for the Republican party in California next month. The name of Roosevelt was cheered to the echo every time it was mentioned and when it came to the endorsement of candidates the entire straight ticket from the candidate for Governor to that of Constable was endorsed and while there may have been differences previous to the primary election, it was agreed to bury the hatchet and work in unison for the whole ticket. An assessment of fifty cents per member was levied after which the meeting adjourned amid much enthusiasm.

The Republican County Commitee have arranged the following dates for the eastern end of the county to hold meetings which will be addressed by state and county candidates; Pleasanton, Oct. 13th; Centerville, Oct. 15th; Livermore, Oct. 19th; Irvington 24th; Niles, Nov. 4th.

PROPOSED BRIDGE ACROSS THE CREEK

Spirited Meeting to Discuss the Location of Same

A good representation from the Centerville Improvement Club came over to Niles last Tuesday night to discuss with the members of the Niles Chamber of Commerce the location of the proposed bridge which is to span the Alameda creek, thereby giving access to the depot of the Western Pacific railroad and also to shorten the distance between the two towns.

That there is a diversity of opinion as to which route should be taken, namely, a bridge at the foot of I street or a bridge considerably westward, was clearly shown after the subject was taken up and discussed. Those who participated in the debate from the Centerville Improvement Club were Messrs. Smith, Hawes, Dusterberry, Oliveira and Dias, and from their remarks it was seen that Centerville was a unit on the proposed Shinn road which would place the bridge somewhere between the Hotel Wesley and the California Nursery.

A drawing of two proposed routes was exhibited for the inspection of all concerned, but when Mayor Hawes of Centerville discovered that the Hub City was not designated thereon his indignation knew no bounds as he sprang to his feet and demanded to know why such an error occured. Mr. Ellsworth in explanation stated the paper being a little short it was unintentionally left off, but humorously pointed to the brick chimney a few feet distant and remarked that it would designate the location of Centerville.

The principal argument of the Centerville representatives was to have the Western Pacific depot in close proximity to their town, so they could obtain better passenger and freight facilities and the shortest route to get there, the better Walter Smith, who had gone over the proposed routes, expressed preference for the Shinn proposition inasmuch as it would save time and expense over the proposed I street route.

Mr. Woods, a representative of the California Building and Material Company said they had not received official notice of a proposed bridge across their property, but as soon as a location was decided upon they would take the matter up. Messrs. Jacobus, Geo. Sullivan, F. V. Jones, J. B. Barnard and others argued in favor of the I street bridge, and it was finally brought out that the proposed construction of a bridge across the creek was more to benefit the patrons of the Western Pacific Company rather than a short route between the two towns.

Mr. Dusterberry called attention to the fact that should this end of the county be fortunate in securing the county seat the most direct routes between the two towns would be advantageous inasmuch as the buildings would be located probably between Niles and Centerville. While the subject was discussed pretty thoroughly, no definite action was taken, save the calling of a special meeting of the Niles Chamber of Commerce next Tuesday evening when a ballot of the members of that body will be taken to decide for Niles which route will be selected.

The Owl Club Clam Bake

The initial outing of the Owl Club of Alvarado last Sunday, was attended by a large number from the township and those who were fortunate enough to obtain some of the juicy clams were accorded a good treat. Some 5000 baked clams were distributed and many who came late found the supply exhausted.

A merry throng gathered at I. O. O. F. hall where dancing was indulged in the afternoon and evening to the music of the Centerville band. The tree pulling contest resulted in Manuel August capturing the prize, but George Bontelho who was to throw the heavy hammer received a sprained wrist the day previous while practicing and had to abandon the feat. Bob Adair president of the club was congratulated on all sides for the splendid manner everything was carried out, and the club will probably give another outing in the near future.

STANDARD OF MEN OF VITAL INTEREST

Great Moral Question of the Day is the Theme of the New Play

The new play by Will Jefferis which is to be produced at Connor's Theatre on the evening of the 28th of October will involve a moral question of wide world interest. It deals with a phase of life of direct interest to every person of intelligence and will present one of the common evils of modern civilization with intensely dramatic situations.

The first act is laid in a country town near the city of New York and presents a picture of county life that will appear quite familiar, introducing the chief characters of the plot. The last three acts take place in a bachelors apartments on lower Fifth Avenue in the city of New York, portraying a phase of life in direct contrast to that found in a country town.

The characters consist of Irene Gordon, one of the type that is the victim of the Standard of Men. Alfred Vanston, a man of the world living by the standard of men, the most unusual type of a man today. Richard Marston, whose love for Irene raises him above the standard of men. Arthur Ballard, the child. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Marston dipicting the attitude of society to the standard of men. Ethel Wilson a companion of Irene. Mrs. Bead, a lady of culture, and others incidental to the plot. The play consists of four acts and two scenes.

An Old Pioneer Laid to Rest

The death of J. A. Trefry, one of the pioneers of Washington Township occurred at the Masonic Home last week. This deceased was eighty-seven years old, a native of Nova Scotia, and settled in this township in the early fifties. In the early history of the county when Union City, now Alvarado, was a busy center, Mr. Trefry was captain of the Union City, a steamer plying between the above place and San Francisco.

This vessel was constructed in New Jersey and brought around the horn in sections, and Captain Trefry for years guided its destiny. He built one of the first houses in Centerville, and for 22 years served the eastern end of the county as constable, an office he filled with much credit, as he was a terror to evil doers. He was a charter member of Alameda Lodge, No. 167, F. and A. M. in Centerville, which was organized in 1863 and was elected its first Tyler, a position he held for years.

His funeral took place last Wednesday under the auspices of the Masons, a large delegation from the Masonic Home being present to pay their last respects to their comrade. Services were held at Masonic Hall in Centerville and were largely attended. The body of the deceased, who was married three times, rests beside those of his wives in the Centerville Cemetary. A son, William Trefry, at the Santa Maria Sugar Mills, and a daughter, Mrs. F. M. Smith, wife of the candidate for Assemblyman for the 51st district, remain to mourn his loss.

The next meeting of the Ladies Guild will follow in two weeks with Mrs. Runckle and Mrs. Cadwalder so entertain. At the meeting this week the discussion of the ways and means to raise this sum was held during the afternoon.

A Good Position

Can be had by ambitious young men and ladies in the field of "Wireless" or Railway telegraphy. Since the 8-hour law became effective, and since the Wireless companies are establishing stations throughout the country there is a great shortage of telegraphers. Positions pay beginners from $70 to $90 per month, with a good chance of advancement. The National Telegraph institute of Portland, Ore., operates six official institutes in America, under supervision of Railroad and Wireless Offiicials and places all graduates into positions. It will pay you to write them for full details.

Fire Protection Again Discussed

The necessity of fire protection to the town of Irvington is again being discussed, and it is probable before long some means will be established whereby the town will not be at the mercy of a conflagration. Some time ago a committee consisting of Messrs. Dr. Durham, Otto Hirsch, Thos. Powers, J. J. O'Keefe, Gene Babb and J. E. Wamsley was appointed to look into the matter of fire protection, but the body has not as yet made a report.

It has been suggested that a hook and ladder be purchased and chemical fire extinguishers be placed at convenient stations to be of easy access. By this means a blaze in its incipiency could be readily extinguished, while the ladders would be of valuable service.

The Ladies Aid Society have a fund of $200 which with $40 raised by a dance recently held, would form the nucles of a fund for purchasing some apparatus. The matter of a better water supply is also to be taken up in the near future, as a reserve tank for fire purposes will have to be provided. It is stated that at the recent destruction of the livery stable in connection with the Irvington Hotel the water supply was lacking. Both Ed Roderick of Irvington and H. Lachman of Mission San Jose have propositions on foot to install a water system for fire protection which the committee will look into.

SUBSTANTIAL BANK BUILDING IN NILES

Niles State Bank Purchased Property on Which to Build

A deed was placed on record this week conveying to the Niles State Bank a strip of land 28 x 75 feet on Main street, Niles, 47 feet from its junction with I street, upon which will be erected a modern bank building. The property in question was owned by Mrs. L. Babb and is considered a splendid location for banking purposes. President Ellsworth has been negotiating for some time to purchase a suitable lot upon which to build as the Niles State Bank is assuming proportions and nothing marks the stability of any business more than to occupy your own premises. The cottage to Wells Fargo and Co's office will be removed to make way for a modern substantial brick building 28 x 65 feet, with a frontage of the new fancy facing brick about to be intoduced by the California Pressed Brick company. The new building will be equiped with a modern burglar proof vault, also a safe deposit vault, having a separate entrance allowing of access to those holding boxes.

This valuable addition to the town will represent an expenditure of $6000, and work will begin within thirty days.

The Niles State Bank was opened in Nov. 1906, under the most prosperous circumstances but received a setback under the injudicious management of Jackson Dennis. Later E. A. Ellsworth took charge of the bank and under his able management the institution gradually has obtained a strong foothold in the township and while its deposits may be less than the more pretentious banks it holds an enviable position among the financial institutions of this county.

The banking advantages of a community are of much importance and the Niles bank has always been in the fore-front for the encouragement of industry on a safe basis. Its present officers are President, E. A. Ellsworth; Vice-President, J. B. Barnard, Sect. P. A. Ellis and Treas. J. C. Shinn, while ths directors comprise the above and M. V. Perry, J. A. Silva, O. E. Walpert A. T. Ames and C. Martenstein, while Chas. Evans is its popular Cashier.

The dry warm weather is favorable for the closing harvest of the year, the late pears, almonds and walnuts. The mercury stood at 85 degrees on Wednesday and 90 degrees on Thursday.

THE RESIDENCE OF ENGLISH RULERS

A Trip Through the Royal Parks and Beautiful Gardens

One day of our sight seeing in London has not yet been included in the REGISTER chronicle of our doings, the day spent in a visit to Windsor. The town is situated twenty-two miles from London and is reached by an hour's ride by rail through the suburbs of the city, and through rural scenes of great beauty and past other attractive villages, but the town of Windsor on account of its beautiful situation has been made the favorite residence of most of the English rulers from the time of William the Conquerer.

It is a spot favored by Nature with the richest and most variegated scenery, diversified by hill and dale and beautiful parks and meadows, a luxuriant forest along the windings of the Thames River. The name of the place, in fact, comes from an old Saxon word, Windleshore, from the curving and winding of the river at this spot. Before the time of William the Conquerer one of the former rulers had made a gift and grant of Windelshore and its surroundings to the monks of Westminster as an endowment and perpetual inheritance to them for their service to God. The monks, however, were not permitted to retain it long, for William the Conquerer in the first year of his reign was so attracted by the beauty of the place, its vicinity to the river and forest making it valuable for a royal hunting ground, that he made the monks exchange it for lands in the County of Essex, and selected it for the royal residence.

He it was who first built the castle upon the hill de[illegible] one of the early books as containing "hide of land or fifty acres. It was probably the beauty of the situation that led him to choose the spot, and he afterward made the castle one of his strongholds. An old writer says he was "so enamoured of the spot that he built several lodges in the great forest adjoining for the convenience of his sport, as he was a great lover of hunting."

Strongly Fortified Castle

Not much is known of the castle before the reign of Edward III as magnificent improvements were made during his time owing to his great affection for the place of his birth. It was then strongly fortified with outworks, and the buildings surrounded with outer wall a moat with drawbridge, portcull and ponderous iron gates for entrance. The inner entrance was a portcullis made of great timbers crossing each other strengthened with iron and made to slide up and down in grooves of masonry.

Before the invention of cannons these gates must have formed strong barriers, and in the massive walls were deep niches containing stone seats for the warders. Many of these old constructions for defense still remain in the present castle, though the former moat is now filled with lawns and flowers and the great outside barrier walls have mostly disappeared. Some time before reaching the station we could see the towers of the castle rising from the hilltop in the distance.

On leaving the train our attention was first attracted by a company of Highland soldiers with a band of bagpipes, fife and drum in full Highland costume, who were present in the town to join in some festal occasion. After listening some time to their music and watching their drill we climbed the hillside to the entrance to the castle which is thrown open to the public except the private residence apartments of the royal family.

Beautiful Decorated Rooms

The splendid rooms command a beautiful prospect of the surrounding country, and are filled with magnificent frescoes and paintings, the walls in many of the rooms being hung with Gobelin tapestry which had taken years in its weaving and is of great value. Carving in wood of the most delicate description and furniture of the richest kind adorns the rooms. Glass cases containing the coronation robes at different periods down to

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RATS CAUSE OF GHOST SCARE

Rodents Pull Electric Wire, Causing the Light to Rise and Fall and Frightening Men.

There are probably few persons who would confess to a belief in ghosts, spirits, specters, or spooks, as told in stories. But when some mysterious circumstance occurs at night time they are among the first to think of ghosts as an explanation of the phenomenon.

This, perhaps, was the case with Elmer Sampson and Art Anderson, who were startled and mystified as they were sitting in the office of a livery barn one evening recently when the electric light hanging from the ceiling began to rise and fall.

It is said that Mr. Anderson, who thought a ghost was in the attic, suggested that they give chase to it with a pail of water. It was finally decided that Mr. Anderson should get a lantern, while Mr. Sampson got a ladder, that they might investigate the attic for the cause of the disturbance.

The young men felt relieved at finding that two huge rats had been tugging away at an old umbrella, the handle of which had become hooked behind the electric light wire. Every time the rats pulled on the umbrella the lamp would rise.

WEARING ROSES DANGEROUS

Trainer Attacked When She Pins Blossoms to Corsage—Beasts Mistake Them for Meat.

A lion tamer came from her hot tent and sat down for a chat.

"An admirer, in my younger days," she said, "once sent me a bouquet of red roses, and I wore them in the ring to do my act. They came near doing for me. I had got my eight lions arranged in their pyramid when the lion at the top saw the red roses in my corsage. He mistook them for meat—lions have poor sight—and down he leapt. He came for me open-mouthed. Though I fired a blank cartridge in his face, he made with his paw a sweep at the roses that ripped me open from chin to waist. The other lions bounded forward. They weren't angry. They were hungry. I had intelligence enough to perceive that, and just as they were leaping on me I tore off my roses and threw them across the ring.

"The big brutes left me at once, and [illegible] sniffed the roses with disappointed g[illegible] staggered out of the iron door. I was young at the time, young and light-headed, or I'd have known better than to wear anything red amongst hungry and near-sighted lions."

How Thackeray Worked.

If ecarte is to be held responsible for Thackeray's appearance as an author, his erratic methods of work contributed equally to his early death. He wrote invariably with the printer's devil in attendance.

"I can conceive nothing more harassing in the literary way," wrote Motley to his wife in 1858, "than Thackeray's way of living from hand to mouth. I mean in regard to the way he furnishes food to the printer's devil. Here he is just finishing the number that must appear in a few days. Of course, whether ill or well, stupid or fertile, he must produce the same amount of fun, pathos or sentiment. His gun must be regularly loaded and discharged at command. I should think it would wear his life out."

Motley's fears were realized within a few years.

Art Leads Language and Science.

The fact is that art is working far ahead of language as well as of science, realizing for us, by all manner of suggestions and exaggerations, effects for which as yet we have no name; nay, for which we may never perhaps have a direct name, for the reason that these effects do not enter very largely into the necessities of life. Hence alone is that suspicion of vagueness that often hangs about the purpose of a romance; it is clear enough to us in thought; but we are not used to consider anything clear until we are able to formulate it in words, and analytical language has not been sufficiently shaped to that end. . . . It is not that there is anything blurred or indefinite in the impression left with us, it is just because the impression is so very definite after its own kind, that we find it hard to fit it exactly with the expressions of our philosophical speech.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Points for Church-Goers.

A clergyman was smoking a cigar under an oak.

"My congregation coughed this morning," he said, "I could hardly make myself heard. It was most annoying."

"Well," said the physician, "the next time they cough, tell them to press the upper lip just beneath the nose. Pressing the nerves in that quarter will stop the most obstinate cough, and, by the same token, it will stop a sneeze too.

"I'll tell you how to stop the hiccoughs. You press hard on the cheek, right in front of the ear. Those nerves there control the hiccoughs as money controls politics. You need only press—the nerves will do the rest."

PUZZLE FOR POULTRY RAISER

Investigators Hope to Be Able to Increase Laying Capacity of Average Hen.

Can a hen lay 200 eggs a year? Some hens lay more than that. The record of one energetic layer has been 213 eggs in 261 days. But the every-day hen lays only 120 eggs in a year. To augment the milk of the cow signifies merely an increase through breeding of the size and productiveness of the lacteal glands. But no human power has been devised for placing into a hen a larger number of eggs than nature has provided her with. She comes supplied with about 500 eggs. And the problem is to induce her to lay about 400 of these during the first two years of her life. After that it does not matter much, since she is doomed for extinction by that time.

The scientists have discovered that of the two egg receptacles with which every pullet is provided only one is developed, the other being non-productive and useless. The eggs found in the pullet are massed together much like a bunch of grapes. They are mere cells about a sixty-fourth of an inch in diameter. Each consists of a tiny spherical mass of protoplasm surrounded by a membrane. In the center of the little cell of the white of the egg is the nucleus which represents the vital principle of the egg and contains a modified protoplasm called chromatin, which is one of the most mysterious and wonderful substances in nature.

The chromatin carries the inherited characteristics of the fowl and is the physical basis of all heredity. It is by the fatigueless study of the beginnings of things that investigators hope to be able to increase the laying capacity of the average hen and thus to add greatly to the human food supplies.

SELECTING GOOD SEED CORN

Care Should Be Taken to Secure Ears Attached to Stalk Three Feet Above Ground.

The first steps toward better seed corn for next year must be taken in the fall by selecting the seed ears from the stalks in the field. The corn should be allowed to mature well on the stalk. By selecting the earliest maturing ears and picking them from the stalk as soon as as the husks begin to turn yellow, which is a common practise, earliness is secured at the expense of vitality.

A slight frost will not injure corn if it is well matured and it is better to run the risk of a frost than to pick the ears too early. The latter part of the growing season seems to improve the vitality of the corn greatly.

Care should be taken in picking seed to secure ears which are attached to the stalk about three feet above the ground. Those ears which grow either very high or very low upon the stalk should be rejected as they are undesirable, having characteristics which we do not desire. For the same reason we should avoid selecting ears with very short or long shanks or from deformed stalks.

Go into the field after the husks on the ears have turned yellow and select the well formed ears from good stalks. Put them in sacks or baskets and bring them to the side of the field and husk. It is well to follow definite rows in securing seed corn, otherwise a large number of good ears are missed. After the corn is husked many ears will be found imperfect and should be discarded. Only those ears should be retained for curing for seed that are of good form. Seed corn should be put into the proper place for curing the same day that it is taken from the field.

Among the Bees.

The queen bee is the mother of all bees and one fertilization is sufficient during her entire life of usefulness. Therefore, by simply replacing the queen with a purely mated Italian queen the entire colony will be changed to that race; and if the change is made during the summer months the change will be completed in about three months' time.

Moth worms are practically unknown in apiaries of Italians or their crosses. To get rid of the moths in hives of black bees, remove the black queens and introduce untested Italian queens in their place, and as soon as the bees of the Italian strain begin to hatch they will make "short stay" of the moth worms.

Hot Weather Churning.

The principal difficult in churning in hot weather is in getting the proper temperature. A cool cellar, spring house in connection with a well of cold water will be a wonderful help if one does not have ice. The churning should always be done in the morning before the heat of the day comes on. It must be kept in mind that if butter comes warm, there is little or no overrun, while if it is properly cared for and churned at the right temperature, the churn gain will be about 16 per cent., or one-sixth. From ten per cent. to fifteen per cent. interest in overrun pays one profitable dividends for a few simple precautions.

Dust Preventive.

The department of agriculture has been experimenting at Washington with white waste sulphite, which is produced in the manufacture of paper, as a dust preventive. The material proved to be of little value in single treatments, but the concentrated material became a semi-permanent dust preventive and road binder

CAP and BELLS

FOUR LADIES IN DISCUSSION

What Man Overheard While Dining at Restaurant—Women All Talked at Same Time.

A man dining alone at a restaurant the other night was observed to smile hugely as he listened to the prattle of four ladies seated immediately behind him. They were discussing divergent topics, and, as is usual in such cases, they were all talking at the same time. This is the result as it reached the man's ears:

"Thank goodness, my Polly is blessed—"

"With a calf's head and a pig's face—"

"I love to see little Johnny well dressed—"

"In the fish kettle over a charcoal fire—"

"To see the darlings dancing before one—"

"In the frying pan—"

"And to hear their guileless tongues—"

"Bubble and squeak—"

"I always see the children put to bed personally—"

"And smothered in onions—"

"And if they have been good bairns, I invariably order—"

"The heart to be stuffed and roasted, the gizzard to be peppered, and the sole to be fried—"

And so on, and so on.

Her Little Jest.

The man who goes about selling those little Swiss clocks stopped at the wayside cottage.

"Lady," he said, politely, "let me sell you one of these tiny timepieces. They are very simple and even the works are wood."

"Gracious!" exclaimed the humorous housewife, with a merry twinkle in her eye, "I should imagine those clocks would be dangerous to have around in the summer."

"Dangerous in the summer? Why so, ma'am?"

"Why, on account of the woodticks."

Lunchoom Taffy.

"Bring me a plain steak," ordered the new patron in the lunch room.

"Yes, sir," responded the pretty waitress.

"And some plain potatoes."

"I have your order, sir."

"And some plain bread."

"Gracious, sir, you must think we keep everything plain in here?"

"Yes, everything is plain, but the waitress."

And when the boss was not looking she slipped him two wedges of apple pie gratis.

Rejected.

Howard—How did you make your wife stop buying your ties?

Coward—I told her I'd let her pick out my ties for me if she'd let me choose the style of hair dressing for her.—Life.

SO MANY FEET.

Beetle—I see the old foot doctor has an automobile. He must be making money these days.

Willie Worm—Why not? Nearly all his patients are centipedes.

Near.

"Did I understand you to say he was a near relative of yours?"

"Yes. He is a second cousin."

"I shouldn't call that very near."

"But he's Scotch."

The Philosopher of Folly.

"Many a girl can learn to love a man," says the philosopher of folly, "if the man has enough money to pay for her education."

No Other Excuse.

Tom—And was theirs a love match?

Jack—It must have been; they were both quite wealthy.

ACUTENESS OF CATTLE BUYER

He Can Estimate Number of Head in Herd of Four or Five Hundred—Also Detect Sickness.

Herders on Texas cattle ranches become so expert their scrutiny of cattle that in buying them on the hoof they often rely for enumeration upon a glance at the herd as they ride past. Their passing estimate practically never varies more than two or three from the actual number in the herds of from 50 to 100 and in much larger herds of from 200 to 500 their estimates will preserve the same proportion of accuracy.

In some cases this ability to estimate is carried to a higher degree of accuracy even for very large herds. In the early 70s, before the days of weighing scales and railroads, cattle buyers in the southwest would buy cattle at so much a hundredweight from their owners. This estimate of weight was based on what the cattle would weigh after they had been driven 200, 300 or 400 miles to the Kansas City market. Nevertheless, the error would only amount to a few pounds, but enough to affect their profits.

Charles Goodnight of Goodnight, Tex., and owner of the famous buffalo herd bearing his name, told some extraordinary things about a negro he knew. When the round-up time came they would place this negro in an advantageous position and drive past him the herds belonging to different men. All these cattle except the calves had their owners' brands. Later, when these calves, after having been mixed up in the corral, were taken out to be branded, he could tell which brand to put on each from having noted at the time to which cow each belonged.

This astonishing acuteness is even more clearly demonstrated in their detection of diseased or defective animals in herds which they are inspecting for purchase. In this discrimination they equally rely upon a rapid visual sweep of the cattle while grazing, the inspector merely riding through the herd.

These statements the narrator was at pains to substantiate by corroborative testimony from friends on the spot actively associated with the business of cattle raising

Diet for Girl Athletes.

Students in Wellesley college who go in for athletics next year must submit to severe dieting. This is a departure for college girl athletics, for hitherto not much attention has been paid to the subject of eating. Agnes Roche, newly elected president of Wellesley's Athletic association, and Miss Homans, physical director of the college, have decided to lay out a rigorous course of dieting for the members of the crew, the basketball and track teams. The members of the team will be required to go to bed at a certain hour, take not more than nine hours' sleep and to eat the plainest of foods. Nuts and ice cream will not longer be regarded as fruit and will be tabooed from the table of the girl athletes. This advance in training will keep pace with other growth in the athletic department of the college. There will be a baseball diamond, a cricket field and perhaps a football field. The hope is to encourage all these games among the students.

Gems Found in Old Paper.

Harvey Struble, employed in the paper mills at Whippany, N. J., has found the third diamond within the last six months. A local jeweler said it was worth $80.

Struble handles the scrap that comes into the plant to be made into paper. One of the diamonds is worth over $200 and the other $150.

Coins frequently are found in the scrap, and pennies are common. The men put the small coins into a fund to buy tobacco.

Some time ago the Salvation Army sent a lot of paper to the mill which had been donated to it in bulk. The donor concluded that a package of uncut diamonds was in the lot, but they never came to light.

Science and Statues.

Goodyear's discoveries in vulcanization of rubbers not only have almost made a new world of comforts and conveniences, but opened vast new golden mines, greater than of the Rand or famed Tarapaca, of wealth to be measured only by terms of millions, if not billions. A rubber supply grows as it is used, but gold and oil can suffer no increase over old earth's deposits. All this comes from the mind of science, but it looks to me like a cold day and a good many years before we Yanks give Goodyear a statue. Science does not care much for statues, anyhow.—New York Press.

Criticises Her Sex.

Mrs. Newell Dwight Hillis, wife of the minister, says in an article in the Outlook, that American women are not a success as home-makers. The American woman has been reared upon a false conception, she thinks. Has been set upon a pedestal and worshiped and has come to believe that she is a superior sort of being. She questions whether the talkative, self-assertive American girl is as well fitted for the work of the world as the English and German girls.

Suburbanites.

"So you live in the suburbs, too? How do you get to the city?"

"I have an automobile. How do you?"

"I go by a surer way; I take the trolley."—Judge

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO VOTERS OF REGISTRATION

Office of John P. Cook,
County Clerk.

Oakland, Alameda County, Cal.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1094 OF THE POLITICAL CODE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ALL VOTERS OF ALAMEDA COUNTY MUST APPLY FOR RE-REGISTRATION IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO VOTE AT THE PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD ON AUGUST 16TH, 1910, AND FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE 8TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1910.

OWING TO THE FACT THAT THERE IS NO PROVISION OF LAW GRANTING ASSISTANCE TO THE COUNTY CLERK IN THE REGISTRATION OF VOTERS, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT VOTERS SHOULD APPLY FOR REGISTRATION AT ONCE, IN ORDER TO EXPEDITE THE WORK.

SUCH RE-REGISTRATION BEGAN ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, AND WILL BE IN PROGRESS AT ALL TIMES UNTIL JULY 26TH, 1910, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENABLING VOTERS TO QUALIFY FOR THE PRIMARY ELECTION, AFTER WHICH REGISTRATION WILL AGAIN OPEN AND CONTINUE UNTIL SEPTEMBER 28TH, 1910, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENABLING VOTERS TO QUALIFY FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION, TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 8TH, 1910.

THE ATTENTION OF VOTERS IS ESPECIALLY DIRECTED TO THE RECENT DECISION OF THE SUPREME COURT, IN WHICH IT IS HELD THAT ALL VOTERS MUST HAVE REGISTERED THIS YEAR IN ORDER TO JOIN IN THE SIGNING OF ANY CERTIFICATE OF NOMINATION IN BEHALF OF ANY CANDIDATES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE TO BE VOTED FOR AT THE PRIMARY ELECTION, TO BE HELD AUGUST 16, 1910.

ATTENTION IS FURTHER DIRECTED TO THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS OF THE POLITICAL CODE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, RELATING TO REGISTRATION:

Sec. 1097. No person's name must be entered by the Clerk unless:

1. Upon the production and filing of a certified copy of the judgment of the Superior Court directing such entry to be made.

2. If a naturalized citizen, upon the production of his certificate of naturalization, which certificate must be issued ninety days prior to the succeeding election, or upon his affidavit that it is lost or out of his possession, which affidavits must state the place of his nativity, and the time and place of his naturalization, together with his affidavit that he has resided in the United States for five years, and in this State for one year next preceding the time of application, and that he would be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election; provided, however, that if such naturalized citizen shall have been previously registered as a qualified elector in any of the counties or cities and counties of this State, his name must not be entered by the Clerk unless he produces a certificate of such registration, issued by the party authorized by law to issue such certificate, which certificate shall be prima facie evidence of his naturalization. In the event that such naturalized citizen was naturalized in the county or city and county in which he seeks to register, or in the event that he was previously registered within the preceding eight years within the county or city and county in which he seeks to register, and his certificate of naturalization has not been revoked, he shall not be required to produce his certificate of naturalization, nor to make such affidavit of lost certificate in lieu thereof.

3. If born in a foreign country, upon his affidavit that he became a citizen of the United States by virtue of the naturalization of his father while he was residing in the United States and under the age of twenty-one years, and that he is or would be an elector of the county at the next ensuing election.

4. In all other cases upon the affidavit of the party that he is or will be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election. Such affidavit must be made before the County Clerk or officer charged with the registration of voters, or their deputy. If any elector is absent from the county in which he claims residence, he may appear before any judge or clerk or any court of record or notary public, or if in a foreign country, before any minister, consul or vice consul of the United States, and make and subscribe an affidavit as to his residence, specifying in what ward or precinct he claims residence; that he will be necessarily and unavoidably absent from said county on all the days allowed by law for general registration of electors, and setting forth in such affidavit each and all the matters required by section one thousand and ninety-six of the Political Code of the State of California, and forward such affidavit, duly authenticated as above, by mail, enclosed in an envelope, addressed to the county clerk of any county, or the registrar of voters in any city and county. Upon receipt of such affidavit by such clerk or registrar of voters within the time allowed by law for registration, it shall entitle the name of such elector to be entered by the clerk in the proper register in such precinct.

5. In every case the affidavit of the party must show all the facts required to be stated in the entry on the register, except the date of the entry.

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AFFIDAVITS OF REGISTRATION MUST BE SWORN TO BEFORE THE COUNTY CLERK OR HIS DEPUTIES AND THAT THEY CANNOT, OWING TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE REGISTRATION LAW BE SWORN TO BEFORE ANY OTHER OFFICER.

THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK WILL BE OPEN FOR REGISTRATION UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE FROM 9 O'CLOCK A. M. UNTIL 5 O'CLOCK P. M. OF EACH DAY EXCEPT SATURDAYS, ON WHICH DAY THE OFFICE WILL CLOSE AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

(Seal) JOHN P. COOK
County Clerk, Alameda County, Cal.

Dated March 2, 1910.

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WORLD'S NEWS OF THE WEEK SUMMARIZED

Adventures of the Children of Mother Earth Related in Condensed Form

Comprehensive Review of Passing Events in Every Quarter of the Terrestrial Globe.

Naples.—Casper S. Crowninshield, the American Consul here is dead.

Muelhausen, Germany. — Aviator Flochmann, whose biplane collapsed at a height of 150 feet, died the next day.

Washington.—It is stated here that the United States authorities in the Philippines were making preparations for the dispatch of troops to China.

Paris.—Rubens' famous painting, "The Bath of Diana," the pride of Brussels, has been sold to an American for $200,000. It was formerly in the possession of Frau Schubert.

Washington.—A lare section of the Panama canal prism was filled up by a great landslide on the night of September 16th. It will take a month to remove the earth and rocks.

Philadelphia.—By order of the Mayor, all traffic within four blocks of the hotel occupied by Prince Tsai Hsun was stopped a few days ago. His Chinese majesty needed a little extra sleep.

Paris.—Private advices from Italy assert that emigrants from the cholera infected districts of that country are being embarked at Genoa for America, there original starting point being concealed.

Topeka, Kas.—There was a light frost in Topeka and surrounding country recently and all tender foliage plants were killed. Heavier frosts are reported from Brown county and in the northeastern section.

Paterson, N. J.—Following the sudden deaths of two men from heart disease, ten others employed in the construction of a house in East Thirty-third street, have quit work, declaring the building is unlucky.

Buffalo, N. Y.—A pledge to raise $100,000 within two years for the cause of home rule in Ireland was enthusiastically made by the delegates attending the fifth biennial national convention of the United Irish League of America, held in this city.

Manchester, England.—The emergency committee of the Cotton Employers' Federation adopted a resolution to make no further concessions to the operatives. The lockout heretofore decided upon will go into effect at once. About 150,000 men are affected.

Pekin.—An agreement for a supplemental loan for the Tien-Tsin-Pupow (Lu) railway of $24,000,000 has been signed with the Deutsche-Asia and the British and Chinese Corp. at 5 per cent. The security same as for the original loan.

Los.—Hubert Latham, in a trial flight with his new 100 horsepower monoplane, constructed for use at the international aviation meet at Belmont Park, Long Island, developed a speed of from 60 to 70 miles an hour without the full power of the motor being used.

New York.—Charles Naismith, an Englishman, naturalized here, left the City Hall to walk to San Francisco. He carried a pedometer, which he hoped would record 50 miles daily. From San Francisco he intends to work his way to Australia, where his aged father lives.

Saratoga, N. Y.—Theodore Roosevelt, as a delegate from Nassau county, L. I., was elected temporary chairman of the Reublican State Convention by a vote of 568 to 443, defeating by a majority of 125 Vice-President James S. Sherman who was supported by the so-called "Old Guard."

Chicago.—Carrying a newspaperman, the first aeroplane passenger ever carried in Chicago, Aviator Walter Brookins soared above the lake front and sailed away over the lake, swung about over the edge of the tall building district and easily brought his Wright biplane to earth again.

New York.—There will be no match between Eastern and Western women's golf teams in connection with the national championship at the Homewood Country Club at Flossmoor, Ill., next month. The announcement is made by Mrs. E. E. Sanford, president of the Eastern Women's Golf Association.

Milan.—King Victor Emmanuel and his cousin, the Count of Turin, had a narrow escape here when Aviator Simon failed to observe the King and the Count were walking in front of him and started his machine. The King and Count threw themselves to the ground and the machine just cleared them.

ODDITIES IN THE WEEK'S NEWS.

Birds Thrash Seed Fields.

San Jose.— Mongolian pheasants, which were introduced into this country some ten years ago at the instance of the game authorities, are doing great injury to the seed farms south of here, it is said. The birds fly close to the ground and flopping along rows of plants have thrashed out hundreds of dollars worth of seeds with their wings. The matter has been reported to the Fish and Game Commission, and it is probable that a petition will be presented to the next Legislature demanding the amendment of the law protecting the pheasants.

Mongolian pheasants did not at first seem to thrive well, but the last few years they have been multiplying rapidly and have become one of the worst pests against which the seed farmers have to contend.

Missed Rat But Hit the Pies.

New Rochelle, N. Y.—A rat coming out of a stable in the rear of a place with a chicken in its mouth moved Frank Sturino of this city to get busy with a double-barreled shotgun. He added rock salt to the load of bird shot and fired both barrels. When he came to and learned the rat had escaped he was despondent, but his troubles were not over, for soon he was arrested on complaint of Mrs. John Michaelson, a boarding house mistress, on a charge of shooting off firearms. She said it was bad enough to pepper the house with shot, but when her fresh pies cooling on the porch were filled with rock salt and her boarders threatented to quit, it was too much.

Pauline, Where Art Thou?

Washington.—Lost for ten days, Miss Pauline Wayne, who left her Wisconsin home for an indefinite stay with President Taft's family at the White House is being sought by secret service men, railroad detectives and employes of the executive office. The popular tune whistled about the White House stables is, "Wonder Who's Milking Her Now," for Miss Pauline is a cow. She is to succeed Bossy, who died of over-eating last spring, if the railroad finds out what has become of her.

Train Stalled by Mosquitoes.

Chicago.—An immense swarm of mosquitoes routed the crew of a freight train just outside of Granite City, Ill., and for three hours it remained stalled, the men being unable to get back to it. Finally George Shelton, engineer, and Thomas McLean, fireman, after being bitten until their faces were almost unrecognizable, built bonfires beside the engine and were able to get back into the cab.

Lightning End a Lawsuit.

Frankfort, Ky.—A lawsuit of long standing was settled when lightning struck and destroyed a large tree in front of Miss Margaret Innis' home near here. Road builders wanted to cut it down years ago, but Miss Innis got an injunction. Hundreds of dollars had been spent in litigation but the courts had never been able to decide the case.

Soot Saved His Life.

Chicago.—While watching an aeroplane high above the city, Roy Smith, 20 years old, lost his balance and fell 60 feet down the chimney of a skyscraper on the lake front. When firemen chopped an opening into the base of the chimney, they found Smith had landed in a big heap of soot and was only slightly bruised.

Scholastic Statistics Compiled.

Berkeley. — Professor L. Hutchinson, dean of the lower division at the University of California, has compiled statistics relative to the scholastic standing of fraternity and non-fraternity men at the local University which shows that the non-fraternity men rank highest in studies.

Important Educational Arrangements.

Berkeley.—Dr. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, has announced an important educational arrangement by which the professors and instructors in the American and Mexican colleges will be exchanged in order to give a wider scope to their work.

Civil War Veteran Dies.

Santa Monica.—Thomas E. Rosecrans, a Civil War veteran, aged 72, and a member of the Soldiers's Home at Sawtelle, fell from the municipal pier into the sea, dying instantly. Death was found to have resulted from heart disease, as no water was inhaled.

Septic Tank System for Petaluma.

Petaluma.—Petaluma will soon have a septic tank system to overcome these were conditions that have been a source of annoyance for several years. About $15,000 will be spent on the improvements.

Infernal Machines Responsible In Los Angeles Outrage

Los Angele. — A terrific explosion, distressing in detail and appalling in its consequences, completely demolished the six-story building occupied by the Los Angeles Times, killing at least 20 employes and injuring more than a score who barely escaped with their lives, at 1:10 o'clock on the morning of October 1. Simultaneous with the blast, the gas ignited from the bursted pipes throughout the building, and the flames leaped from a hundred windows and darted far above the roof.

The working force of the Times numbers about 175, but about 50 employes had left within a half hour before with the winding up of the first edition.

The scenes that followed the explosion and fire are indescribable. Men cut off from ordinary exits by flames darting from every side, rushed hither and thither, looking for means of escape, and were forced finally to jump from second and third story windows to the street below.

Most of the serious injuries were the results of these leaps for life. Even this opportunity of escape was denied to those who are numbered among the missing, most of whom were buried under the ruins. They died crushed to death under the crumbling walls, or suffocated by the smoke and flames.

Several men were seen by spectators come to the upper windows a few minutes after the fire started and wave and cry for help. The firemen failed to get the ladders up quickly enough and the flames burst out below them. Nets were stretched and the people at the windows were called to jump. Many did and they alighted safely. Others hesitated, and fell back into the flames.

The building of the Baumgart Publishing Company, adjoining the Times, was almost completely destroyed together with the plant of the Weekly Graphic.

The city had hardly awakened to a knowledge of the fullness of the disaster when the news that a dynamite bomb had been found under the residence of Felix Zeehandelaar, secretary of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, swelled the excitement.

The bomb, one of the clockwork kind, containing 15 sitcks of dynamite, had been timed to do its work at the exact moment that the explosion occurred in the Times building, but some flaw in its mechanism had failed to explode on time. The finding of this bomb was succeeded by the discovery of another under the windows of the Wiltshire Boulevard residence of General Harrison Gray Otsi, president of the Times-Mirror Company and editor-in-chief of the Times. This bomb was concealed in a valise and hidden under some bushes. It was discovered, thrown into the street, and exploded tearing up the ground and doing other minor damage.

One hundred men were put at work digging for the bodies believed to be buried in the ruins of the Times building. Late in the afternoon the first body was recovered. It was that of J. Wesley Reaves, private secretary to Assistant General Manager Harry Chandler, and was found where Mr. Chandler had left him a few minutes before the explosion. Only the unusual circumstance that his wife had called for Mr. Chandler to take him home before his usual hour had saved him from a like fate.

As soon as they could be reached, the Mayor called the City Council into extraordinary session, and $25,000 was appropriated to be used for the purpose of finding the alleged dynamiters.

A conference was also held between the labor leaders and the Chief of Police, and it was mutually decided to call off a labor demonstration that had been planned for Monday against an anti-picketing ordinance recently passed by the Council and under which a large number of arrests have been made and men sent to jail.

The first step taken in the direction of ascertaining who are the guilty parties was the appointment of an investigating committee of five. One of the committee is William Mulholland, superintendent of the Los Angeles Acqueduct, the big municipal water project. Mr. Mulholland has identified one of the sticks of dynaite found in the Zeehandelaar bomb by its wrapping as part of a shipment for the acqueduct made from Giant, Cal., September 20.

A reward of $7,500 for the arrest and conviction of the persons responsible for the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building was made by Secretary Treasurer O. A. Tveitmoe of the State Building Trades Council.

General Otis, owner and editor of the Times, arrived from Mexico during the day and was met at the depot by 200 members of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association. A telegram which preceded him read as follows:

"Imperial Junctionn, Cal. — Harry Chandler, the Times, Los Angeles, Cal.: Your wire with its terrible news only reached me this morning. Am amazed at the desperation of the criminal conspirators in destroying the Times building and slaying its loyal defenders, whose loss I deeply deplore, but the Times will live on, bravely defending the vital and essential principle of industrial freedom under the law, which must yet triumph in the entire nation. I will be home at 3:30. Meet me at the station."

A disavowal for the responsibility of dynamiting the Times has been issued by the strike committee of the metal trades, the members of which have been on strike for some months, and between which organization and the Times there has been great bitterness. The comittee's statement follows:

"The union labor men in Los Angeles deeply deplore the loss of life and injury in the explosion and fire at the Times plant. The union declares that the statement in the Times that the explosion was caused by some person or persons connected with organized labor here or elsewhere is false. Ever since the beginning of union labor here violence of every sort has been condemned in public and private. No union man has been permitted to commit any act of violence, be it ever so slight, nor have the unions failed to rigorously demand that their members obey the laws.

We believe that success can only be won by peaceful reasoning and showing the laboring man his rights and duties.

"We therefore deny unequivocally that the unions, nor any union man in our knowledge, had anything to do with any violence against the Times' employes or property.

"We stand ready and willing to do all in our power to aid in a thorough investigation of the explosion."

Repulsive Malady of the Hindu Must Stop Influx

San Francisco.—An effective dam to the torrent of Hindu immigration that has been surging the shores of the Pacific Coast at a speed of 5000 of India's riff-raff a year has been discovered by Dr. M. W. Glover of the Angel Island Hospital.

Sixty-five per cent of the turbaned natives of the Punjab are infected with hookworm! After a careful examination of 17 applicants among the hordes of Hindu laborers awaiting admission to this port, Dr. Glover has found 12 to be the victims of this loathsome malady. This dangerous and contagious disease is the most dreaded in medical annals and spreads at an alarming rate.

Though the average Hindu, from time immemorial, has been peculiarly susceptible to many abhorrent physical afflictions, he has had little difficulty in effecting an entrance to San Francisco. The comparative ease with which India's unfortunate sons have gained entrance to California has raised a storm of protest, but as yet little has been done to abate the evil.

Dr. Glover's discovery is expected to bring about the necessary remedy, as the Federal statutes debar aliens from landing in the United States who are victims of dangerous diseases. Thousands of Japanese have been denied admission because of their sufferings from trachoma upon the certificate of the surgeons at Angel Island, and there is no appeal afforded them from deportation.

The hookworm is admitted by the medical profession as a far more dangerous malady, and it is thought by the opponents of the Hindu invasion that Dr. Glover's discovery will successfully stem the tide of India natives that has been a menace to the white labor market here.

The alleged leniency of Immigration Commissioner North to the Hindu influx can be of no avail now, say the exclusionists, who are preparing to place the matter before the National Immigraton Board, now sitting in Washington on matters affecting the conduct of Hart H. North in his administration of the affairs of the local immigration service.

All Hindus who arrive hereafter will be held for examination, and those found to be victims of the hookworm will be deported at once.

Other aliens seeking admission here will also be inspected for this repulsive ailment, and it is expected that more than two-thirds of the applicants will be deported for this malady alone. Two Chinamen who have been subjected to the hookworm examination have been found to possess the contagious disease.

RING OF DOORBELL MADE TWO HEARTS BEAT AS ONE

But Court Frowns on Unusual Romance That Lasted Only a Week.

San Francisco.— A peculiar story of sudden love and more sudden marriage was unfolded in a decision of the Supreme Court handed down recently which reversed a judgmnet of Judge Graham and ordered the $1500 estate of Friedrich Bose taken from his widow, Maud Bose, and given to his mother, Bertha Bose.

In September, 1906, Bose was looking for rooms in Oakland. He inquired at a cottage in East Oakland and proposed marriage to the woman who answered the doorbell. The proposal was accepted and the two went to Los Angeles and were married. The woman had a daughter 11 years old. The two lived together one week, when the wife, Maud, tired of her spouse and left. When in September, 1908, she heard of her husband's death she applied for his $1500 estate. Judge Graham decided in her favor, cutting off Bose's mother. The mother then appealed, declaring that the widow was not a member of the family, inasmuch as she had deserted her husband. The Supreme Court decided with the mother and ordered the decision reversed.

The wife in her testimony admitted that she didn't know who her husband was and hadn't stopped to find out the nature of his business. He merely proposed marriage, she said, and she accepted. At the time of the marriage she was 27 years old and he was 42.

Thirty Days for Ruining Hat.

Trenton, N. J.—Mrs. Ella Jones did not know as she stood admiring a new hat she had just received by messenger and placed on the floor of her home in this city, that Daniel Dennis was hurrying thither with an important message. Dennis had been promised a drink for quick delivery and did not stop to ring the bell, the door being open. Mrs. Jones called to him too late to be careful. Dennis tripped on a rug as he entered the room and fell with his face in the center of the new hat, scattering it in all directions. Mrs. Jones boxed his ears until he begged for mercy. Then she seized him by the ear with one hand and with the wreck of the hat in the other, led him to the police. He was given 30 days in the workhouse.

Chinese to Lose "Pig Tails."

Washington. — Memoralizing the throne at Peking in favor of abolishing the queue, Wu Ting Fang, former Minister to Washington, has explained how he happened to take that attitude. In his memorial, the text of which has just reached Washigton, Wu says Chinese residents in North, Central and South America have been teased by foreigners until they have implored him to seek an imperial edict giving official sanction to cropping the hair and changing their costume to accord with Western ideas. Wu says he found Chinese everywhere sincerely loyal and patriotic, but eight or nine-tenths of them had divested themselves of their queues or had secreted them by coiling them on the top of their heads.

He Should Start a Pearl Farm.

New York. — Professor Bashford, dean of Columbia University, at a meeting of the Amercan Fisheries Society in the Aquarium told of a secret method of growing pearls by which pearls valued at $200 can be raised for $2. The secret is being guarded so as not to affect the market price of the gems. Professor Bashford said that should the secret become generally known pearls would become as cheap almost as collar buttons.

Birds Carry Away Tree.

Frankfort, Ky.— Soaring in space somewhere between here and the Tennessee line is a tree carried by a flock of blackbirds. It happened this way: Will Graham of this county coated the limbs of a small tree with bird lime to catch a mess of blackbirds and captured a flock. He sawed off the tree at the roots to carry it to this city, when the birds took flight, carrying the tree with them.

A New Telephone Company.

Monterey.—Monterey capital, organized and to be incorporated as the Mission Home Telephone Company, is to take over the business of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company for the Monterey peninsula. The capitaliation of the new company will be $100,000, and the amount to be paid the parent corporation will be $40,000.

Baseball Trainer Suicides.

Cleveland.—Despondent because his wife refused to give up her suit for divorce and return to him, James Payne, former trainer of the Cleveland baseball team, and a well-known wrestler, pugilist and athlete, went to her home, and in the presence of Mrs. Payne and her mother, committed suicide by shooting himself.

COAST HAPS AND MISHAPS OF THE WEEK

Recent Occurrences Along the Pacific Slope Related in Brief Items.

Paragraphs Selected With a View to Giving Busy Readers the News in a Nutshell.

Willows.—This city is to have a new library building to cost $11,000.

Klamatn Falls, Or.—Ernest Finnell, aged 10, lost his life when a fish the boy had hooked pulled him into the water of Link river.

San Francisco.—The Federal Grand Jury has indicted Hunter H. Carpenter on a charge of obtaining money by impersonating a U. S. army officer.

Los Angeles.— The plant of the American Olive Company, said to be the largest of its kind in the world, was completely destroyed by fire. The loss will be $450,000.

Seattle.—Rollin E. Nichols, aged 32 years, a former railroad employe, fell down a stairway in the business part of the city and was killed. He formerly lived in San Jose, Cal.

Oakland.—The Oakland Chamber of Commerce will send one or more San Franicsco fair boosters to the Transmississippi Commercial Congress in San Antonia, Texas, next month.

San Jose.—San Jose is to have a balloon route to meet the demands of the winter tourist traffic. Cars will be run from this city to Stanford University and return, stopping at various towns on the way.

Lake View, Ore.—Work has begun here on a large wool warehouse to be constructed by the southern Oregon and northern California wool growers. The warehouse is one of a number to be erected throughout the western country.

Sacramento.—Through the medium of Schiller's [illegible], "William Tell," the eight societies of the German-American Alliance celebrated the landing of the first German immigrants on American soil at Germantown, October 2, 1683.

Lodi.—W. J. Comfort and John Raggio of Stockton have purchased a portion of the John E. Moore home place, lying north of the Calaveras river and consisting of 442½ acres. It is understood the property sold for about $150 per acre. The Moore place originally contained 1082 acres.

Santa Monica.—Mrs. Margaret Winston, who was born in San Diego 72 years ago, and was one of the three women who, from their red flannel petticoats, made the first United States flag that floated in California, died here last week of heart disease. Her husband, Dr. J. B. Winston, died 20 years ago.

San Francisco.—Hereafter a close check will be kept by the custom house officials on all foreigners who leave this port. Detailed information will have to be filed with the representatives of the Federal Government showing how the foreigner desiring to sail happened to be in the country and many other personal statistics.

Seattle.—A Skokomish Indian, when young, bought his wife for $200. He borrowed the amount from his father. When the husband died, 30 years later, he still owed $100. The father attempted to collect the balance from the woman. Last week the question was put to the Superintendent, who decided in favor of the widow.

San Francisco.—A small red fire alarm box, the kind with the glass front, was mistaken for a letter-box by Miss Marguerite Gleason of Twentieth and Mission streets, at Third and Mission, with the result that several fire wagons and a hose cart, besides the big water tower, arrived on the scene to direct Miss Gleason to the location of the letter-box.

San Mateo.—John M. McGrath, a politician of this county, was arrested and placed under a $1000 bond for stealing his own cow. Some time ago McGrath sold his Jersey to L. H. Poulson. In return he was given a promise of early payment, but when the payment was not forthcoming, he slipped into the back yard of the purchaser, cut the tether and drove the animal to his own home.

San Jose.—Mrs. Marilla Ricker, a candidate for Governor of New Hampshire, left here last week to make a campaign for election. A petition bearing the necessary 1000 names has been filed entitling her to the nomination. Being unable to run as a regular Republican, Mrs. Ricker named her party the "Equal Rights Republican party." She is the first woman to be admitted to the practice of law in New Hampshire.

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POPULATION OF WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP

Niles	1,500	Irvington	1,050
Centerville	1,425	Decoto	850
Newark	1,200	Mission San Jose	800
Alvarado	1,100	Warm Springs	600

Scattering, 125 Total, 8,650
Area, 10 square miles; 68,000 acres.

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CONSTABLES:

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	Decoto—F W Meyer
Warm Springs—Manuel Brown	Alvarado—Farley B Granger

AMUSEMENTS

Oct. 8th, Skating Party at Irvington.

Oct. 15th—Grand ball and concert at Irvington

Oct 22d—S. P. R. S. I. No. 4, entertainment and dance at Centerville.

Oct. 15th and 16th-Open air Concert at Irvington by San Francisco Concert Band.

Oct. 8—N. S. G. W. No. 250 dance at Connors' Hall Niles.

Oct. 15—Entertainment and social dance at A. O. U. W. hall, Mission San Jose.

Oct. 21, 22—Men's League Minstrel Show at Connors Hall, Niles.

Oct. 22—Bazaar at A. O. U. W. Hall, Mission San Jose.

Oct. 22—S. P. R. S. I. dance, Mission San Jose.

Oct 29—Rebekahs Masquerade Ball, Maple Hall, Irvington.

Oct. 28th-Standard of Men Connor's Theatre Niles.

Times have been somewhat strenuous in the Register office the past week, owing to the absence of the foreman of the [illegible] department, C. A. Parrish, who is basking in the sunshine at Atascadero, he being a member of the National Guard Company. Notwithstanding the rush of work, we have been able with extra assistance to keep the orders well filled, but ask the indulgence of those whose orders have been somewhat delayed.

It is to be hoped the Niles people will take advantage of the splendid offer of the county to extend the free library system to unincorporated towns, and make suitable provision to install the same in some central locality. The old Southern Pacific depot building on I street which was given to the town for library purposes could at little expense be made an attractive and comfortable place to establish the branch library, and as a means to raise funds for that object an entertainment could be had and possibly a public subscription taken up. By all means let us have the library, and make provisions immediately to install it.

Grand Ball at Irvington

The San Francisco Concert Band will give a grand ball at Maple Hall Irvington next Saturday evening. In view of the popularity and ability of the members of this band, a large crowd is expected. On Sunday Oct. 16th at 2. P. M., an open air concert will be given.

Boost Panama-Pacific Exposition

The Panama Pacific International Exposition have appointed the following committee to attend to the distribution of postal cards on next Friday, Oct. 14th between the hours of one and two o'clock; E. A. Ellsworth, chairman; J. B. Barnard, Rev. F. V. Jones, Mrs. J. E. Thane of Niles; Mrs. C. C. Crane of Eecoro and Mrs. Marion Mowry of Centerville.

The members of the committee are anxios to ascertain the number each school will be able to distribute to their friends at a distance.

A New Cash Grocery

The fruit store recently owned by Mr. Cambria on Main street, Niles has changed hands, M. E. Duarte is well known in Niles, having been in the employ of Murphy and Briscoe for a long time and is popular. Extensive alterations are being made for the carrying of a full line of groceries, fruits and vegetables. A free delivery system will also be established.

An Interesting Coincidence

Our attention was called to a peculiar coincidence the other day in reference to the first passenger train of the Western Pacific, which marked such an auspicious occasion throughout the county last month. The first train of the Western Pacific Railroad which was constructed from Sacramento to Oakland through Niles Canyon arrived at Niles on a Monday morning, September 6th, 1869, and proceeded through to Oakland amid much rejoicing and speech making, while the first passemger train of the new Western Pacific passed through Niles to Oakland on Monday, the 7th day of September, 1910, just forty-one years later.

About this time the Western Pacific and the San Francisco Bay railroad consolidated with Stanford, Hurlington, Hopkins and Crocker as directors, and finally merged into the Central Pacific railroad. The last rail of the Central Pacific railroad was laid in the month of October, and the first through overland train passed through Oakland on the 8th of October, and the first through overland train passed through Oakland on the 10th of November 1869.

While a mere boy we distinctly remember the "Reindeer," the name of the first locomotive to haul a train through the county to Oakland Point. In the early days of railroading the locomotives were designated by names instead of numbers, such as the "T. D. Judah" "C, P. Huntington," "Sonoma," T. D. Atherton," etc.

"Its Up to You Charles."

Health officer Dr. McKown who was instructed by the Niles Chamber of Commerce to abate the nuisance of decayed waste matter being thrown into the creek in Niles canyon, reports that in consultation with the District Attorney's office, he was informed that it was the duty of the roadmaster of the district and not the health officer to have the nuisance abated.

Candidate's Masquerade Ball

The Alvarado Political Club, which was recently organized in the marsh city to advocate straight politics announce that in the near future, a grand masquerade ball will be held when prizes will be given for the best costumes, also for the best guess of names of candidates, in costume. This will certainly be a novelty which will attract people from all over the township. The date of the ball and more particulars will be given in our next issue. The members of this promising club are R. Adair, President; J. Pierce, Vice-President H. Hendrickson, Secretary and Chas. Pape, Trersurer.

Seriously Injured by Fall

Frank Hurd, an employee of Walter Smith, the Centerville plummer met with a serious accident Thursday morning by falling from a windmill he was working on at Charles Silva's home. Losing his balance he fell a distance of thirty feet, landing face downward, terribly lacerating his face, severely spraining his right arm and received other minor injuries.

He was conveyed to the office of Dr. Wills, who dressed the wounds and later he was taken to his home in a comatose state. Although his injuries are of a serious nature, he will recover.

Trinity Guild Garden Party

The Trinity Guild's Garden Party will be held at Mrs. W. E. Gibson's on Oct. 22nd. There will be a good programm rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Ira N. Allen of Oakland.

The first part of the programme will consist of races for the boys ann girls for which prizes will be given, after which there will be an intermission given for visiting the museum, booths etc. The second part of the programme will be given consisting of songs and recitations by Mrs. Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Allen.

Men's League Entertainment

The Men's League of the Congregational church will give a minstrel show on the evenings of Oct. 21st and 22nd at Connor's Theatre. A chorus of twenty-five to thirty ladies and gentlemen, several excellent soloists and musicians will appear. The evening's entertainment will close with the presentation of the humorous old English skit "Box and Cox". Look for full program next week.

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Notice of Hearing Application for Liquor License

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JOHN P. COOK,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisor.
Dated Oakland, Cal., Sept. 19, 1910.

Notice of Hearing Application for Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 24rd day of October, 1910, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the rooms of the Board of Supervisors, in the annex to the Hall of Records, in the City of Oakland, has been fixed as the time and place for hearing the application of John Bauman to obtain a renewal of a license for the sale of liquor at Irvington in Irvington election precinct.

JOHN P. COOK,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.
Dated Oakland, Cal., Oct. 3, 1910.

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The following named have recommended the granting of the said license, viz: F. Falk, Serafino E. Neves, G. W. May, E. T. Stevenson, J. Nunes, Antone Dutra, Frank Nunes.

JOHN P. COOK,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.
Dated Oakland, Cal., Sept. 19, 1910.

Notice to Creditors

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Manuel Joseph Bettencourt, who was also known as Manuel J. Bettencourt, and also as M. J. Bettencourt, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of the above named deceased to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said estate and said deceased to exhibit them together with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the law office of Jno. G. Mattos, Jr., at Centerville, County of Alameda, State of California, which said office the said executor selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said deceased.

MANUEL B. MACIEL,
Executor of the last will and testament of Manuel Joseph Bettencourt, who was also known as Manuel J. Bettencourt and also M. J. Bettencourt, deceased.
Dated September 24, 1910.

Notice to Contractors

Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Alameda County California
Oakland September 26, 1910

Sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, at his office, until Monday October 17 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. (the day when said bids will be opened and the contract awarded) for the construction of a reinforced concrete bridge across Dry Creek on the Main County Road leading from Niles to Alvarado in Decoto Road District, Alameda County, plans and specifications for which are on file in the office of the County Clerk, subject to inspection by bidders.

Each bid must be accompanied by a check for at least ten per cent. of the amount of the bid or proposal, certified to by some responsible bank, and made payable to John P. Cook, Clerk of the Board, to be forfeited to the County of Alameda as agreed and liquidated damages should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract after the award or to give the bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the Contract.

JOHN P. COOK,
[SEAL] Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda.
Dated September 26, 1910

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Sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County at his office, until Monday, October 17, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. (the day when said bids will be opened and the contracted awarded) for the construction of a concrete bridge on the Stockton Pass Road, near Mission San Jose, Mission Road District, Alameda County, California, plans and specifications for which are on file in the office of the County Clerk, subject to inspection by bidders.

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The Residence of English Rulers

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the present time, the crown jewels, stores of armour of fuedal times with still more ancient weapons and many other things of great value.

We were shown through the State Anti Room, the Rubens Room, the Council Chamber, the King's Closet, the Queen's Closet, the Picture or Waterloo Gallery, the Vandyck Room, the Queen's Audience Chamber, the Queen's Presence Chamber, the Guard Chamber, St. George's Hall, the Grand Reception Room, the Throne Room and the Grand Vestibule.

To give some idea of the rooms a partial description of two of them may be here written from my notes. The Grand Reception Room is 90 feet long, 34 feet wide. and 33 feet high. A magnificent Gothic window of plate glass fills almost the entire end of the room opening upon a beautiful prospect over the adjacent parks and the surrounding country. The remainder of the room except the Gothic wtndows is after the time of Louis XIV. The ceiling is divided into five panels with center pieces and mouldings of beautiful carved work of flowers and birds and the Royal Arms.

Splendid mirrors and carved work fill other portions of the room and magnificent French doors open into the Throne Room and the Waterloo Gallery. The floor is of polished oak inlaid with fleur de lis in ebony, the furniture is of the richest gilt and brocade. From the ceiling hang four great chandeliers with art glass branches and pendants. At one end of the room is a grear Malachite vase presented to Queen Victoria by the Emporer of Russia. On each side is a granite vase presented to King William IV by Frederick III of Prussia. Other spaces in the walls beside the mirrors are hung with Gobelin tapestry so soft and delicate in color as to look like an oil painting. In many of these pieces of tapestry hung in royal palaces threads of pure gold and silver are woven.

In the State Anti Room stands a full suit of Gothic armour worn at a tourn.ment in 1839. The painting of the ceiling represents the Banquet of the Gods showing many beautiful forms of fish and fowl. There are exquisite carvings of game, flowers and fruit on the walls, and several beautiful pieces of tapestry representing scenes from heathen mythology. Over the large fireplace is a painting by Sir Joshua Reynolds of George III in his coronation robes.

The flag was floating over the Castle at the time of our visit, showing that some of the members of the Royal family were occupying the private apartments. Folowing the view of the state rooms inside the castle we climbed the top of the round tower. On the top is placed a cannon commanding the tower, and a great bell brought from Sebastapool at the time of the Crimean War weighing nearly a ton and which was cast at Moscow.

A view of wonderful extent and beauty is seen from the battlements over the forest, the distant hills and the winding river. With the castle walls and the village lying at one's feet a view of twelve counties can be seen on a clear day. This Round Tower is three hundred feet in circumference, and contains a double stairway of ascending and descending steps. Of all the royal palaces we have visited on our travels that of Emporer William I in Berlin is most magnificent and beautiful in its fernishings, while that of Windsor has the most superb situation.

From the tower we were shown through the Royal stables with its rows of fine horses feeding in their roomy stalls, each with its name in black letters over its stall, and then through the carriage houses with coaches and carriages of every description.

The Royal Park and Gardens

By this time the noon hour was reached and we went for lunch in one of the quaint and cozy little restaurants of the town, after which a cab was hired for the afternoon drive. Leaving the Castle entrance we passed down "The Long Walk," an avenue of great beauty through the Royal Park and Gardens forming a magnificent approach to the Castle.

The carriage drive is in the center with footpaths on each side shaded by a double row of elms, which were planted in the year 1680. The drive is nearly three miles long and extends to the top of "Snow Hill" which is crowned by a large equestrian statue in bronze of George III. The drive takes one past Frogmore House, lately the residence of the present king and queen and the beautiful Royal Gardens. This spot was a great favorite with Queen Victoria and in the grounds near Frogmore House is the Royal Mausoleum containing the bodies of Queen Victoria and Prince Albert. This Mausoleum is only opened once a year to the public, on the anniversary of Queen Victoria's death when the Royal family attend service in the chapel, in the early morning hours, after which the public is permitted to pass through and view the interior of the tomb. Leaving the Royal Park we passed through the short strip of country road to the parish of Eton where we visited the historic Eton College. The College was closed for the summer vacation but open to visitors who are shown through the quadranples, the halls, the chapel, dining room, dormitories, and kitchen of this famous old school.

Historic Eaton College

The building was founded in 1440 by King Henry VI then ruler of England and has received additions to its endowment and its building from time to time, not only from royalty but from private individuals. There is only room for seventy students inside the college dormitories or "on the foundation" as the college officers expressed it. These receive tuition free, but a large number are barded in houses outside, each one of which is overlooked by a "master" who lodges in the same building. The education of those students is paid for by their relatives.

The students of the "foundation" are called collegers and are distinguished from the outside scholars called "Oppidans" by the wearing of a black cloth gown. The whole number of students now numbers about one thousand. In the senior examination each year of the scholars of the "foundation" are elected those who stand highest to fellowship in King's College at Cambridge. The building is wholly of brick and stone, the low dark halls and passages many or them from their great age are seemingly ill ventilated and unsanitary.

The Chapel is a great high room with vaulted ceiling one hundred and seventy five feet long, with stained glass windows and monuments and tablets in memory of students who have become famous or perished in war in defense of their country. Some of the former Presidents of the college are buried beneath the floor of the Chapel.

From the college our drive was continued through the beautiful country roads to the Stoke-Poges church and the churchyard where lies the body of Thomas Gray, the author of the poem "Elegy in a Country Churchyard," one of the best known and most admired poems of the English language. Just before reaching the churchyard we passed Stoke Park, the estate of the Penn family of which William Penn, the founder of Pennyslvania, was one of the members.

Parts of the church are of great age, a church building having stood on the spot as far back as 1107, but the principal interest to visitors is the tomb of Gray close under the window of the chapel. The first tomb is that of Gray's mother on which the poet himself had the following words inscribed in her memory "Dorothy Gray, widow, the careful and tender mother of many children, one of whom alone had the misfortune to to survive her. She died March 11, 1753, aged 67 years." Close beside it is the tomb of the poet's aunt, similar in construction, a raised rectangular receptacle of stone, covered with a marble slab. Gray's body was placed in the same tomb with his mother, and a tablet set in the wall of the church near the tomb reads "In the same tomb upon which he has so feelingly described his grief at the loss of a bereaved parent, lie the remains of Thomas Gray."

The burial ground is very old, many of the head stones are moss grown and the lettering entirely obliterated by time. Near the church grows a weeping yew tree which the sexton of the churchyard says was nine hundred years old, and under which the poet had rested while writing some of his poems. About a hundred yards outside the churchyard stands a stone sarcophagus monument on a great pedestal erected to his memory and inscribed with verses from his poems.

Inside the church we were shown the large square pew with chairs which has been occupied by members of the Penn family for many hundred years. The quiet scenes of the old churchyard brought back to memory the lines:

"Beneath these rugged elms, that yew tree's shade,
Where heaves the turf in many a moldering heap,
Each in his narrow cell forever laid
The rude forefathers of the hamlet sleep."

Skating Tonight

By special request, Maple Hall in Irvington will be opened tonight for skating. Roller skating is becoming a fad and the smoth floor at Maple hall is an attraction for those who delight in this favorite pastime.

ALVARADO BREEZES.

Elmer Brown, wife and two children of Port Costa spent Sunday with the family of E. A. Richmond.

Joe Pierce, assistant engineer at the sugar mill who met with an accident by having his hand scalded, will shortly be able to return to work.

The duck hunters are reporting excellent shooting, a great many obtaining the bag limit, Harry H. Richmond of Fruitvale being one of the number.

Extensive improvements are being made at the water works, three new sixty-inch boilers being put in place, increasing the number to five.

Herman Kaiser, formerly engineer of the water company got "pinched" last Friday, while shooting ducks one day previous to the opening of the season. When brought before Judge Prowse of Hayward he pleaded that he mistook the duck for doves, but he paid twenty-five "bucks" just the same.

Mr. Tainton, the book keeper at the sugar mill, is occupying one of the new cottages of Mrs. Trefall.

John Adams, chief engineer of the Continental Salt Company, met with a severe accident the other day when a heavy casting fell on his foot, breaktwo toes.

Alvarado Aerie, No. 1695, of Eagles, held a high jinks last Monday night which was attended by some of the state officers, concluding with a banquet and speech making. This lodge now numbers 108 members and is rapidly growing. The initiation fee has been lowered from $15 to $10 and many are taking advantage of becoming members under the reduced rate.

Mr. Coward of the California Salt Works prides himself on being a good shot especially when in quest of the watered fowl, but just now he would like to take a shot at the individual who purloined a string of ducks he left in Bontelho's livery stable preparatory to shipping same to his brother. As the stable door is always open it was an easy matter for anyone to enter the premises and take the ducks.

NEWARK.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. Schneider were given a house warming, they having recently moved into the J. R. Silva cottage. Mr. Schneider is employed as a carpenter on the bridge.

M. D. Silvey will demonstrate the accuracy of his new 40 inch barrel gun on the marshes today and says he will have the bag limit of 25 in an hour's time.

Work on the spur track to connect the Southern Pacific track at the point with the new salt works back of Coyote hill, is progressing rapidly. It will be about four miles long.

Mrs. M. E. Bole, post-mistress and her able assistant Miss Emma Wales enjoyed a ride to Hayward Sunday.

The marriage of John Marshall and Miss Olive Dias was solemnized last Monday at the Centerville Catholic church. Their honeymoon is being spent in Santa Cruz. They will occupy the cottage adjacent to Miss Fowler's candy store.

The marriage of William Kennedy the popular blacksmith at Dumbarton point, to one of San Francisco's fair daughters last Saturday was the occasion of an old time charivari with tin cans etc. at their new home in one of the new Snow cottages. Kennedy did the honors and invited all to partake of his hospitality.

Last evening an entertainment was given under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church. The Newark Pavilion was well filled and a goodly sum realized.

Charles Cockefair left last Monfor Portland where he will engage in business. He has been in the euploy of the James Graham Co. for years.

The aftermath of the celebration in which Newark did itself proud has been a settling down to business and awaiting with much anxiety the glad news that the foundry town will be entitled to the appelation "The Pittsburg of the West." Just as soon as it is known that the Southern Pacific is to establish car shops in her midst, Newark will put on a new dress and will be the envy of all the neighboring towns. The Dumbarton bridge celebration has certainly been a great advertisement for Newark and the merchants and citizens will inevitably profit thereby.

Mrs. W. H. Maffey and two children accompanied by a native Filipino servant, returned from Olongopa, Philippine Islands several weeks ago taking her mother Mrs. C. O. Haley completely by surprise. They will make their home with Mrs. Haley until spring when Mr. Maffey will join them on his annual vacation.

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REPORT OF CONDITION

of the NILES STATE BANK, at Niles, at the close of buisness on the 1st day of October, 1910.

RESOURCES	COMMERCIAL
Loans	$35,677.48
Stocks, Bonds and other Securities	9,919.68
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures	2,656.60
Due from other than Reserve Banks	19,986.85
Cash on Hand	6,420.54
Profit and Loss	1,175.50
Total	75,836.65
LIABILITIES	
Capital Apportioned	$25,000.00
Individual Deposits subject to check	41,681.41
Time Certificates of Deposit	9,155.24
Total	75,836,65

State of California,
County of Alameda } SS

Edward A. Ellsworth, President, Chas. Evans, Cashier, of the above named bank, being duly sworn, each for himself, says th t the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

EDW. A. ELLSWORTH, President.
CHAS. EVANS, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn to by both deponents the 6th day of October, 1910, before me. M. B. SNEDEN, Notary Public.

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HIS HIDEOUS HEIRLOOM

By STACY E. BAKER

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Miss Harriet Herlien was eccentric, and her eccentricity led her to extremes when, at her death, she willed a time-worn and hideous bureau to her favorite nephew—and nothing else.

Marvin Chapman debated long on whether to favor the relic of an artless manufacturer with resting room, or relegate it to a second-hand emporium. In the end love and a certain respect for the old lady won; the bureau was installed in the otherwise up-to-date apartments of the young man.

Miss Harriet Herlien had been a highly esteemed woman, aggressive in word and action. She had a shrewd mind, calculating, keen.

Chapman, who had not seen his aunt for a number of years, remembered her as a sharp-eyed old lady, silver-haired and always garbed in black.

The bureau amused the friends of the young artist, and laughing congratulations were given Chapman on having secured so handsome an antique. He volunteered no explanations. The bureau became a permanent fixture in his rooms.

Chpaman was an artist of much talent, but, as yet, little success. He managed, by rigid economy, to live within his all-to-small income, and keep up appearances. Meanwhile, the spotlight of publicity was gradually coming closer.

The youth had always believed that his aunt was a woman of vast wealth and that he was to inherit all of her fortune. Believing this, he had made no effort to husband his own little money. Now he realized his mistake—this leaning on possibilities—for his dream was farther away from him than ever—and he had imagined it most tangible, and of bound-to-come-true construction.

But, after all, even if the little country studio, far away from the stress and clamor of the town, were eliminated, and the constant production of "pot boilers" was always to be a necessity, the heart of the dream was still left to him. The heart of the dream, the radiant center around which all these thoughts and visions of the future revolved, was—Annette Leya!

The young artist had known the [illegible] for years. They had been fellow students in Paris, and her dark eyes, studded beneath perfect brows, had

In the End Love and a Certain Respect for the Old Lady Won.

made their strong appeal to him long before he had become acquainted with her. Above and beyond her perfect figure, her rare poise; above and beyond all these, the magnetism of her personality had claimed him, and he knew in his heart that there never could be any other.

The youth had been a keen boy, fresh from the country in those days, and what the girl could have found in him was a mystery. To be sure, the aquiline nose, the firm, frank eyes and the fighting jaw told of victories to come; but, as a general rule, young girls are not able to judge of such things.

Both Chapman and the girl were now back in New York, and the friendship had long since ripened to an engagement and a full understanding. Annette's career as an artist was in the same state as that of her sweetheart.

"I think it is rather quaint," complimented Miss Leya, upon her first glimpse of the monstrosity. Nevertheless, her enthusiasm broke to no line frenzy. Polite fabrications came to the girl with difficulty. Her perfect lips and her rather serious profile were consistently above trivial word vagaries.

Several months after the installation of the heirloom Chapman received a caller.

"My name is Cummings," introduced the elderly person, having calmly helped himself to a chair. He removed an ancient tile and mopped the shining dome of his head with a gaudy handkerchief. "You have never met me, sir, but your late aunt—a most estimable woman—insisted that I call on you when in the city. We were friends," he finished simply.

The keen eyes of the caller roamed about the room, resting at last upon a little door leading to a chamber. Just visible from where he sat was the freak gift that had descended to Chapman.

The artist noted the curious glance of the visitor. "That bureau," he laughed, "was my inheritance. Aunt Harriet willed it to me. If I had followed first impressions the thing wouldn't be here now, but—well, Aunt was a good old soul, and she certainly must have thought something of the old affair or I wouldn't have been inflicted with it. Her sentiments are mine. I shall stand by that ancient chest of drawers until grim death relieves me of its guardianship."

"I wouldn't mind owning it myself," confessed Cummings. "I'll give you twice what the thing cost—just to own it for a keepsake, you know."

"It is not for sale," answered Chapman.

"I will give," said the old man, sticking to the subject, "just $100 for the clap-trap. Better take it."

"It is not for sale," reiterated Chapman, patiently. "Can't you understand, sir? It is not for sale."

"One thousand dollars," exclaimed the old man, "and not a cent more, by jing! No, sir, not a cent more!"

"You had better see a doctor," suggested Chapman.

"That bureau isn't worth a cent to anyone but me. It is old, dilapidated and hideous."

Cummings had already started for the door. "I see we can't do business," he called back to the surprised Chapman. "Good-by."

The painter stared after his eccentric visitor. "Crazy," he ejaculated. "Mad as a March hare! Some old lover of aunt's, probably, and he wanted that—er—thing as a keepsake. Jove! who would have supposed romance existed in such a frame?"

Nevertheless, and despite his firm and indignant refusal of Cummings's offer, Chapman had been tempted. One thousand dollars meant a lot to him.

Annette laughed when he told her. "Why, boy," she said, softly, "you don't know yourself as well as I know you." One slim hand rested on his arm. "Your visitor couldn't have bought that bureau for $50,000, I know.'

A week later Chapman received this letter:

"Dear Mr. Chapman:

"In calling upon you recently I did so acting in the capacity of your late aunt's legal adviser, and as the administrator of her estate. The legacy of the bureau was a test. If you kept it an allotted time and refused to dispose of it for even such a ridiculously large sum as I offered you it would prove your love for her and the rest of the estate was to come to you.

"You have won, and in the face of great temptation. Congratulations.

"The property amounts to over $100,000. Call upon me as soon as possible for more explicit information. Very truly,

"C. C. Cummings.'

"It pays," said Annette Leya, who was present at the opening of the letter, "to cherish heirlooms."

He Was Too Enthusiastic.

Hank Dobbs was noted as an "honest" horse trader. He would not lie about a horse. He would merely suppress the truth. Incidentally he always beat the customer who dealt with him. The way he could slur over the defects and buzz about the virtues of an animal amounted to genius.

Once Hank was trying to sell a neighbor a horse that had an eye which was nearly sightless. The neighbor knew Hank would not lie outright to him, so he questioned the horse trader as to the various points of the brute.

"How about his eyesight? Can he see out of both eyes?"

"Sure," said Hank, "he's got good eyes.' Here he leaned forward, his eyes fairly scintillating with suppressed honesty. "One eye is particularly good!"

Hank's enthusiasm for the truth had carried him too far. The deal was off.

As a Refrigerator.

Jerome S. McWade, on the Cunard pier in New York, was talking about last month's long and terrible heat wave.

"The heat wave," he said, "caused comic as well as tragic happenings. For instance:

"Late on a hot afternoon a guard at the Metropolitan museum, entering the hall of sculptures, was amazed to see a fat, red-faced man seated on the knee of a marble Venus.

"The guard could hardly believe his eyes. He advanced hurriedly. Yes, it was true. The fat man sat on the Venus' white lap, his arms were around her neck, and his head lay on her shoulder.

"'Say, what are you doin' there?' the scandalized guard demanded.

"'It's all—hic—all ri', guard,' replied the fat man. 'I'm just coolin' off a bit—hic—thash all.'"

Death Rate Among German Babies.

The figures of the present infant mortality alarm Germany, where the fact that there is a notable increase is evident from the statistics just published. Out of 2,000,000 persons born alive last year in the empire 351,000 died under the age of one year, a record exceeding 17 per cent.

The highest mortality by kingdoms is Bavaria, 22 per cent; the lowest, 16.8 per cent, is in Prussia. As compared with the British Isles the infant mortality in Germany is very high. In the former the general percentage is 10.8, the rate of mortality varying from 11.8 per cent in England and Wales, where it is highest, to 9.2 per cent in Ireland, where it is lowest. —America

For the Hostess

Chat on Interesting Topics of Many Kinds, by a Recognized Authority

A New Game of Characters.

The hostess told us that the answers to the questions on our papers were all well-known personages in history, politics, literature and art; ancient and modern. The initial letters begin words that give a clue to identity. A certain time is allotted for discovering and putting down the full names. A prize is awarded for the best list. Have the slips typewritten with spaces left below each question.

America's Liberator (Abraham Lincoln).
His Union's Guardian (Hiram Ulysses Grant).
Governed Wisely (George Washington).
Won Santiago's Siege (Winfield Scott Schley).
Was Martyred (William McKinley).
Governed Cautiously (Grover Cleveland).
The Roughrider (Theodore Roosevelt).
Overcame Bonaparte (Otto Bismarck).
Was Ever Great (William Ewart Gladstone).
Eccentric And Poetic (Edgar Allan Poe).
Oh What Humor (Oliver Wendell Holmes).
Renowned With Essays (Ralph Waldo Emerson).
Merry Tramp (Mark Twain).
Jolly Keen Joker (Jerome K. Jerome).
A Cunning Detective (A. Conan Doyle).
Wizard Story-teller (Walter Scott).
Suffrage Before All (Susan B. Anthony).
For Every Woman (Frances E. Willard).
The Astonishing Electrician (Thomas A. Edison).
Amiable Croesus (Andrew Carnegie).
Inimitable Pianist (Ignace Paderewski).
Mighty Artist (Michael Angelo).
Wonderful Sapience (Wm. Shakespeare).
Admired Poet (Alex. Pope.)
Rustic Bard (Robert Burns).
Terrible Complainer (Thos. Carlyle).
Clever Delineator (Charles Dickens).
Famous Darky (Fred'k Douglass).
Original, Witty, Humorous (O. W. Holmes).
Rabid Iconoclast (Robert Ingersoll).
Voluminous Humanist (Victor Hugo).
Racy. Humorous, Delightful (Richard Harding Davis).
Rational Wise Essays (R. W. Emerson).
Readable Lasting Stories (R. L. Stevenson).
Weird Concocter (Wilkie Collins).
Creation Revealing Development (C. R. Darwin).
Beguiling Traveler (Bayard Taylor).
Jubilant War Hymn (Julia Ward Howe).
Arthurian Troubadour (Alfred Tennyson).
Rejoices Kids (Rudyard Kipling).
He Made Search (H. M. Stanley).
His Words Linger (H. W. Longfellow).
Wittily Delineating Humanity (W. D. Howells).
Few More Copious (F. M. Crawford).
Little Maids' Author (L. M. Alcott).
English Critic Scholar (E. C. Stedman).
England's Bright Bard (E. B. Browning).
Brilliantly Nonsensical (Bill Nye).
Preached Beautifully (Phillips Brooks).

A Fairy Gift Bag.

A fairy gift bag is somewhat newer than the Jack Horner pie. It is a pretty way of dispensing souvenirs to the children and adds an element of mystery that youngsters love. They may be just as expensive or cheap as the hostess wishes. First select the requisite number of toys or favors, wrap neatly in tissue paper of two colors, one for boys and one for girls; tie very securely with colored cord or ribbon. Pale green and pink or red and white make good combination of colors. Get a large brown paper sack from the grocer, one that will hold all the parcels without crowding. Now cover this bag with a dainty crepe paper and make two bows of ribbon; fasten on either side of the bag quite low down. Attach a ribbon to each parcel (very narrow) three-quarters of a yard long. These ribbons fall over the top of the bag when it is tied up and look very pretty. Next blindfold each child, one at a time, and let them walk to the bag and select a ribbon, standing perfectly still, then when all have ribbons they are pulled good and hard, the bag bursts and each one has a favor. Sometimes the children are given a stout cane and each allowed a strike at the bag until it bursts. A hostess may choose her own method. For very small children a little tale may be told of how a good fairy has filled the bag for the party, and interest will rise to fever heat by the time the bag is opened.

An Experience Party.

The invitations for this novel affair were given over the telephone, without which how did we ever live, move and have our being? The hostess asked each of her twelve guests to come prepared to tell in five minutes some incident of their summer. Most of them had been on various vacation trips. In this way an hour's entertainment was delightfully furnished. Then there was a reading that lasted 20 minutes given by a friend who was good enough to share some of her unpublished stories. The place cards laid on the tables spread on the porch were all foreign scenes collected by the hostess. Delicious sandwich rolls were served, iced coffee, olives, salted nuts and bonbons.

A Magazine Game.

Some time ago the request came for a repetition of a certain magazine guessing contest. This one was sent by a Chicago reader and I hope will be what is needed.

1. One hundred years (Century). 2. Santa Claus (St. Nicholas). 3. An ancient minstrel (Harpers). 4. A public place in Rome (Forum). 5. An early New England settler (the Puritan). 6. Veracity (Truth). 7. One who sketches (The Delineator). 8. A noted fairy (Puck). 9. A large body of water (Atlantic). 10. The sailor's hoodoo (The Black Cat). 11. A dispenser of justice (Judge). 12. A prospect (The Outlook). 13. What we all cling to (Life). 14. A planet (The World). 15. A citizen of the world (Cosmopolitan). 16. A show ground (Arena). 17. A boy's jackknife (Youth's Companion). 18. Part of a rope (The Strand). 19. A child at night (Wide Awake). 20. Hash (Review of Reviews).

MADAME MERRI.

Dresses for Girls

THE dress at the left is for a girl of fourteen to sixteen years, and is made up in butcher blue linen; the skirt is close-fitting and is trimmed at the lower edge by two bands of darker-colored linen, or striped linen would be smart.

The blouse is one of the ever-favorite one-piece styles, with Claudine cuffs and collar of plaited lawn.

Material required: 5 yards 48 inches wide.

The second costume is for a girl from sixteen to eighteen years, and might be carried out in Shantung, casement cloth or linen; a wide panel is taken down the front of the dress, joined to the sides by a wrapped seam, where it is trimmed with oval buttons and loops of braid; the side and back of skirt are then cut with a corselet slip and tucked five times at the foot; the hem gives the appearance of a sixth tuck.

Lawn or soft silk is used for the under-slip, which has the sleeves set to deep embroidery cuffs; a Peter Pan collar is also made of this, and the collar is of tucked lawn.

Hat of fine straw lined with black and trimmed with a rose.

Materials required: 7 yards 46 inches wide, 1½ yard cord, 1½ dozen buttons, ¾ yard embroidery, 1 yard lawn 42 inches wide.

An exquisite Chantilly scarf for evening wear has some of the designs outlined with gold thread.

PREPARING FOR THE ORDEAL

Advice to Young Man Who Intends to Travel in a Pullman for the First Time.

To the young man who is planning to pass a night for the first time in a sleeping car a few general instructions may be given.

For six months preceding your trip practise removing your clothing while lying on your back on the floor beneath your bed. Also practise putting on the various articles of your wearing apparel while standing on the back of your head and your heels. You will find this to be not only splendid exercise, but also very amusing, if you have a well-developed sense of humor. Try coaxing your shirt beneath your waistband while you assume the shape of a rainbow, with your stomach touching the slats of your bed and your head and heels digging into the carpet. Owing to the peculiar properties of the law of gravitation you will find this an instructive experiment.

Now you are ready to start. Approach the train carelessly, give your grips to the porter, saunter into the car and pick out your section with a blase air. If the new Pullman rates are in effect you will notice that if you contracted for an upper berth it is appreciably lower than the lower berth, which is higher than the higher berth. That is to say, the higher berth is not so high as the lower berth, while the lower berth is much higher than the lower berth, which is higher than the higher berth, and—but perhaps it is just as well to leave you to settle this matter with the conductor. It is a mere detail, anyway.

What's that? Why may you not dress in the toilet room of the car?

You can't. It will be full of a fat man with soap behind his ears. His back will block the doorway while he tries to take a bath in the hand basin. No, the fat man is not required under the interstate commerce law. He is a natural phenomenon and cannot be sidestepped or otherwise avoided.

Luxury of Ancient Eggs.

A chef, discussing the evils of cold storage, said with a smile:

"And yet the Chinese, who are great gourmets, adore eggs three or four years old, eggs that have turned quite green.

"Don't think they are ordinary bad eggs, these green chaps, though. If you've eaten Chinese food—geish y nain, yok amey, sea slugs, birds' nest soup—you'll know better than that. The Chinese are gourmets and their ancient eggs are ripened like fine cheese.

"It is a science. The eggs, I believe, spend nine months in a hot temperature, buried in sawdust, another nine months in a cool temperature, buried in chalk, and so forth and so on.

"They are green in the end, and they have an unpleasant, putrid odor. But Roquefort cheese is green, and its odor too, is putrid and unpleasant.

"Mr. Wu, when he last dined here, told me that green eggs of the 1905 vintage cost two to three dollars apiece in Canton."

Woman Is Watchmaker.

Mrs. Tula Warburg said recently in an interview in New York that she believes that she is the only woman watchmaker in the country. Her father was a Swiss, but had moved to Norway, and there carried on his trade, and the girl was all her life interested in the work. She married and when her husband died she had $300 only, but a determination to keep the children in school and to earn her own living and theirs. The only thing she knew anything about was watchmaking, so she started out ringing the door bells of houses and offering to put the clocks in order. The first day she earned 25 cents, but she soon built up a little trade, and then she tried staying at home and having the work sent to her. She says the work is the best kind for women, and, as she has made a success of it, can recommend it.

A Banteress.

"The summer girl," said Miss Marie Tempest, at a tea in New York, "is the nicest thing in America. What would the seashore be without her? In her pretty frocks and bathing dresses she brightens up the seashore like the sunshine. Sometimes she makes it warm like the sunshine, too.

"She has a ready wit. Once, on a moonlit, wave-washed pier, I heard a summer girl bantering a young man.

"'It's love,' said the young man, reproachfully, as she disengaged her waist from his arm. 'It's love that makes the world go round.'

"'I know it,' she answered, pushing him away, all the same, 'and that is why we summer girls are so giddy.'"

A Woman in Distress.

"Oh, dear," sighed Mrs. Ponsonby. "I can't understand the sporting page at all."

"What's the matter now?" asked Mr. Ponsonby.

"A baseball writer says that Patsy McSwat was sent to the tall timber because he couldn't connect with a sufficient number of bingles. Does that mean that he didn't pay his board bill?"

Center of Toughness.

Inquiring Tourist—Would you call this a tough town?

Stray Native—Tough? Say, stranger, when we have Old Home week here, detectives from all over the country come and pick out just who they want!—Puck.

JUST A FEW WORDS

ON THE FOLLY OF TAKING LIKES AND DISLIKES.

Analyzed the Practise Is as Ridiculous as It Is Injurious—Set Aside a Moment or Two and Reflect.

"I don't like that man," you say. Cut it, bo; cut it! the Baltimore Evening Sun remarks. You don't know what you're talking about. You're just making your head roar without making any headway toward the improvement of the world or adding to its intelligence. Just making a noise, that's all.

Don't like him, eh? Condemning everything about him. My, but that's a silly stunt, mighty silly. Besides, it isn't true.

A man is made of qualities and tendencies and things like that. A man's deeds don't make him at all. They are just signs of the qualities in him.

A whistle doesn't make a sawmill. It just tells you there's one in the vicinity. it isn't a sawmill because it whistles—it whistles because it's a sawmill. A bee isn't a bee because it makes honey—it makes honey because it's a bee.

Now, there are all sorts of qualities and impulses in a man—in every man. You know yourself that there is a fight between two or three elements in you before you do the commonest thing.

You don't like that other fellow, eh? Yes, you do, some of him.

Don't you know that quality in yourself that you think is so perfectly sweet and noble? The man whom you claim to hate has that quality. Maybe not so well developed as yours—maybe he hasn't had the chance to develop it. But he has it, and you should like that much of him, because he has it common with you.

That is true of every one of those qualities you recognize so proudly in yourself.

He has 'em, too!

Then that thing in him that you observed that led to your remark of condemnation—you've got it, boy, you've got it!

You may have succeeded in hiding it, or perhaps even in smothering it some and making it keep its head down and not have much to say about your actions, but you have that quality!

The thing that you deplore in the other man is somewhere in you, more or less dormant or undeveloped.

Maybe he has been placed in circumstances that developed almost irresistibly in him that the thing you have had a chance to kill off or hold in leash. But he has the quality, and you have it.

And that, even more than the likable quality he has in common with you, should make you his friend—at least should place you in the attitude of sympathetic willingness to be his friend if the useful opportunity ever offered.

Quit this hate, especially in hot weather.

Liking folks cools you off nicely and makes you fit in with the scheme of the universe.

Hate lifts your temp[illegible] temperature, and you sw[illegible] and squirm and stew.

Besides, if you have[illegible] imagination enough to [illegible] from some other than you[illegible] rowly selfish standpoint, [illegible] that time you found som[illegible] hated you—didn't that hur[illegible] to the heart?

Your hate hurts the other [illegible] that way, and—well, don't [illegible] be died tomorrow you couldn't [illegible] the Lord in the face.

Like folks!

Chewing Gum.

Chewing gum is nothing but chicle mixed with sugar and flavoring; and chicle is the gum of a tree that grows plentifully in Mexico and Central America and that of recent years has been cultivated on a large scale in Yucatan, where the American Chicle company owns several million acres of it. The chicle tree is not unlike the India rubber tree, and the gum was first shipped to America by men who believed that in it they had a perfect substitute for rubber. In this, however, they were mistaken, as it was found that the chicle gum was insoluble. Not to this day has any medium, acid or alkali, spirit or ether, been found that will dissolve it.

At the Desk.

Clerk—You cannot pay your bill?

Guest—I cannot.

Clerk—What do you mean by taking a room, if you haven't money enough to pay for it?"

Guest—I had money enough when I took it, but I knew nothing about the union rates for waiters and I have since given one a tip.

Willing to Help.

First Doctor—Now, the first thing is to reduce the fever and allay the thirst.

The Patient (overhearing)—I think, gentlemen, that if you get the fever away, I could overpower the other part of my complaint myself.

A Natural Inquiry.

"This genius states that he attained success through using the ideas of brighter men."

"And over what humorous column did he preside?"

Years of Suffering

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GREAT ORGANIZATIONS ENDORSE TAX FOR FAIR

Fraternal and Labor Bodies of State Pledge Aid at Polls to Help Win Panama-Pacific Exposition.

San Francisco.—Representatives of thirty fraternal grand bodies met the California Legislative Committee of the Panama-Pacific Exposition in the board room of the Merchants' Exchange and in the heartiest terms, without reservation of any kind, pledged themselves to secure the votes of their members for the constitutional amendments which are to enable California and San Francisco to raise ten million dollars for the exposition fund.

Chairman James McNab, at whose call the conference was held, was fairly overwhelmed by the enthusiasm. Thirty organizations with from ten thousand to fifty thousand members each will go to the polls all over the State on November 8th and as one man will support the measures which are to bring the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to San Francisco in 1915.

The whole-hearted speech of Daniel A. Ryan, grand president of the Native Sons of the Golden West, sounded the note which dominated the conference. He said:

"In every wayside village of California, in every mountain hamlet and in every city of this State there are Native Sons of the Golden West, and knowing them as I do, knowing their pride and loyalty and their love for their State, I can pledge the vote of 21,000 Californians to the measures which are to carry us into the greatest period of our history with the opening of the Panama-Pacific Exposition. That is not all. Among these thousands there are hundreds who can and will exert a telling influence on the Congressmen in whose hands the awarding of the Exposition lies."

Cleveland Dam, representing organized labor, guaranteed that every man in California would be made to realize the deep significance to California of the Panama-Pacific Exposition—to that it means the development of the West, the cultivation of farms, the coming of railroads, of factories and mills, and to realize that it was for the best interests of the individuals as well as for the glory and power of the whole State.

Chairman James McNab explained the business of the conference and told of the work which had been outlined by the committee to secure the solid vote of the State for the constitutional amendments—the Senate amendment, No. 52, and the Assembly amendment, No. 33, the one to permit of the State tax to raise $5,000,000 in four annual installments of $1,250,000 each, and the other to allow the city of San Francisco to so amend the charter as to bond herself for $5,000,000.

Chairman McNab showed clearly how the tax would be a very light one on the State and that San Francisco would bear the principal burden.

W. H. Barnes, past grand master of the Odd Fellows, pledged the support of his brothers in the State for the amendments and told of the sentiment for San Francisco which exists throughout the country in his order, offering his assistance in every way to secure the assistance of every Odd Fellow in the United States for San Francisco and the exposition. Dr. Morrissey of the Knights of Columbus similarly pledged himself and his associates and told of the work already done by his order in support of the Panama-Pacific movement.

William Boyle of the Ancient Order of Hibernians told of the enthusiastic carrying of resolutions for the Panama-Pacific Exposition at the last national convention held at Portland in July, and indicated the sentiment of the order by tendering promises of its support at the State and the county conventions.

The Order of Railroad Employees will devote two pages of their official organ to exposition news.

C. A. Guglielmoni, grand secretary of the United and Ancient Order of Druids, offered as many pages as the committee desired in the official organ for the purpose of advertising the amendment.

Joseph B. Reboli, grand secretary of the Foresters of America, declared that his lodge is willing to carry out any suggestions that the comittee may make.

W. H. Remiss, representative of organized labor, told the committee that organized labor fully realized the importance of the exposition and that it had been carrying out an active programme on its own account, preparing literature, sending circulars and asking the indorsements of the various conventions.

George A. Stanley of the Young Men's Institute said that his members were enthusiastic in the matter of the exposition and that the amendments would be carefully explained and their importance pointed out. A. S. Nelson of the National Union, A. H. Merrill of the Royal Arcanum of California, Frank Brew of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, B. M. Camara of the Portuguese Society of California, E. G. Brugge of the Order of Hermann's Sons, John Falconer of the Ancient Order of Foresters, W. B. Montgomery of the Order of Railroad Employees, I. J. Aschheim of the Grand Lodge of I. O. B. B., T. B. Fugazzi of the Young Men's Institute, John Herrmann of the German-American League, George W. Merrill of the Loyal Legion, and Gustave McGregor of the Elks—all these spoke in enthusiastic terms of the work.

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Expert Opinion.

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Germany's four super-Dreadnoughts will each have a crew of 1,000 men.

Great Britain makes use of over $2,000,000 worth of shellfish every year.

The woman with the shortest foot may possess the longest tongue.

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ART OF WRITING VERY OLD

New Discoveries Carry Back Existence of Written Documents Centuries Beyond Phoenician Record.

The revelations made at the remains of a great prehistoric palace at Knossos, in Crete, which is believed to be the original of the fabled "Labyrinth," would seem to carry back the existence of written documents on Greek soil some eight centuries beyond the earliest known monuments of Greek writing and five centuries beyond the earliest dated Phoenician record as seen on the Moabite stone.

These discoveries, therefore, place the whole question of the origin of writing on a new basis. It is thought that the Cretan hieroglyphs exactly correspond with what, in virtue of their names, we must suppose to have been the pictorial originals of the Phoenician letters on which the alphabet is based.

Among these are Aleph, the ox's head; Beth, the house; Daleth, the door, and so forth. This contravenes the old theory of De Rouge that the Phoenician letters were derived from early Egyptian forms signifying quite different objects.

The End of Her Rope.

The fact that Johnny was to compete for a prize for jumping was of little interest to Mrs. Halloran, if, indeed, she even knew it; what interested her was the train of disaster which accompanied his daily existence.

"Johnny's broke the school record," announced Mr. Halloran, triumphantly through the cloud of soapy steam which surrounded Mrs. Halloran and the wash tubs.

"Well, now, you can tend to that job yourself, Mike Halloran," returned his spouse, arms akimbo. "I've mended the front gate and the back gate, three chairs and a table that he's broke, all wid me own hands, but whativer he's broke at school you can look afther, or pay for having it done, and save the money on your pipe—an' that's me last word!"

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In the Spring.

It was housecleaning time, and Mr. Stubb was removing the dusty pictures from the walls. The frames slipped, the stepladder creaked ominously, and the perspiration rolled from Mr. Stubb's brow. In the humor to bite a nail in half, he turned and discovered Mrs. Stubb laughing.

"That's it!" he roared, as the stepladder swayed. "Laugh and show your gold teeth."

And still she laughed.

"Do you think there is anything funny in my moving these pictures?" he spluttered, in fiery tones.

"No, indeed, John," said Mrs. Stubb, soothingly, "but you know you look so funny, it looks like a moving picture show."

Then Mr. Stubb swallowed a pint of dust and simply fumed.

Probably Insane.

"Winkley is a good deal of a crank, isn't he?"

"That doesn't half describe him. He's going around now insisting that if the postoffice department has to be made self-sustaining the war and navy departments ought to be run the same way."

At the Swell Banquet.

"Who's that little man up at the head of the table?"

"He's one of our biggest capitalists."

"I see. And who is that giant of a man down there near the foot?"

"He's one of our small merchants."

Obviously.

"Aunt Hepsy, what do they use 'invisible hairpins' for?"

"To fasten up invisible hair, of course, child."

Operators on the sewing machine in South China are paid $5 a month for working nine hours a day, seven days in the week.

Formic acid is coming into vogue in Germany and England as a remedy for tuberculosis and kidney troubles.

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Not Her Fault.

Mrs. Lapsling was expressing her regret that she had been unable, on account of illness, to be present at the funeral of a neighbor.

"I always feel," she said, "that I ought to attend the obsequies of a friend, but I just couldn't go."—Chicago Tribune.

Will Get It.

"You should insist," said the doctor, "on your boy's accustoming himself to cold baths."

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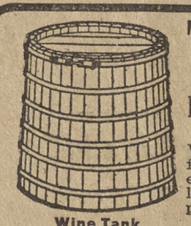

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NEWS NOTES FROM NILES.

Mrs. Robert Knox and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goodell who visited Mrs. Emeline Tyson, recently, again paid her a visit last Monday, on their return from their trip in the south.

Ashley Tyson and wife who are making a theatrical tour of the states will soon arrive in New York.

Miss Helen Sharpe who is attending the Normal School in San Jose came up for over Sunday at Belvoir.

Miss Consuelo Howard who now makes her home in San Francisco has been spending the week with Mrs. Chittenden at Belvoir.

Mrs. Richmond of Alvarado and Miss May of Haywards have been guests of their sister, Mrs. O. Walpert during the week.

Harry Mosher and family and M. Bachtel of Oakland spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mosher.

Ice cold soda and soft drinks at the Pastime billiard parlor.

Mrs. Salter returned on Saturday last from Modesto where she has been in attendance upon her son Samuel who has been very ill but is now on the road to recovery.

Miss Mary Sullivan of Oakland visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Buhn went to Bakersfield on Saturday of last week to spend ten days with relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. Shofield went to San Jose on Wednesday to remain for a week. A reception was given her on Thursday by the members of "We and our Neighbors" Club in honor of her return.

The Misses Jane Smith and Grace Ellis returned the last of the week from a driving trip through Lake County which they enjoyed very much.

Mrs. Joe Roderick took a trip to Oakland on Tuesday.

J. A. Easterday and R. J. Bonner have returned from a week's hunting in the hills. They brought home a supply of quail to their families.

Mrs. F. A. Dew and mother Mrs. Gaston returned from Galt last Tuesday after a stay of a week.

Mrs. Snyder and Mrs. Chalmers visited in San Francisco Saturday.

Best brands of cigaretts and cigars at the Pastime billiard parlor.

Word was received from Mr. and Mrs. Greenly of Galt announcing the birth of a daughter, Sunday morning, Oct. 2nd. Mr. and Mrs. Greenly formerly lived in Niles.

Mrs. L. Babb accompanied the party of young people to Mt. Tamalpais on Saturday last, and remained over to Tuesday evening visiting at her sons home. Visits to the Cliff House, Piedmont and other points of interest were also made during her stay.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Sneden have both returned home this week. Mr. Sneden has been at Paraiso Springs in Monterey County for his health, and Mrs. Sneden has spent the past three weeks with her mother and sister in San Francisco.

Trinity Guild held its regular meeting on Wednesday of last week with Mrs. Henry Tyson. Fifteen ladies were present and plans were made for a garden party which the members expect to give in the near future.

Splendid assortment of candies at the Pastime Billiard Parlor, Niles.

The Mexican dinner given by the Ladies Guild in the grounds of Mrs. H. G. Ellsworth last week Friday evening was an enjoyable meeting, though not so well attended as hoped for. Bonfires were burning to brighten the scene, and the different courses were presided over by such well known chefs as J. E. Jacobus and J. C. Shinn. The receipts of the evening were about twenty dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Stivers and P. A. Ellis left Sunday morning for Santa Anna where they will attend the Grand Encampment, I. O. O. F., which convenes in that city. Mrs. Stivers is to have conferred on her the Degree of Chivalry, the highest honor bestowed on a lady by the Odd Fellows.

The N. D. G. W. are to give a masquerade ball on the 12th of November to enable them to make a donation to the fund for homeless children. As this is for a worthy cause the Native Daughters would be pleased to have the patronage of the whole township.

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Service in the Cong'l church next Sunbay morning at 11 o'clock preaching by the pastor. In the evening at 7.45 Men's League Service, half hour of praise conducted by the choir under the leadership of Mr. R. O. Moyer. A short address will be delivered by Mr. Arlett of Berkeley who is an excellent speaker. Regular montnly meeting of the Men's League at the close of the service. S. S. at 10 A. M. Young People and History classes.

Native Sons Dance Tonight

There is to be a dance given in Connor's Hall tonight by the Niles Parlor of Native Sons, the proceeds to be devoted to a fund for the Homeless Children. This day has been set apart as California Day to help this worthy cause and those who wish to aid charity can do so by attending the dance tonight.

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